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Scottish Mine Disaster

London, Jan. 11. Rescue workers, after an all-night battle, are today striving to reach thirteen miners trapped by a wall of flame in the Burn Grange shale pit! at_West_Calder, Midlothian, Scotland.

They were trapped following ... an explosion last night in which another miner was killed.

News of the accident spread b rapidly after the pit sirens had? sounded the alarm. Hundreds of miners rushed to give help while rescue squads from all the surrounding districts were being summoned.

Clouds of white smoke belching from the pit shaft told of the fire below. Several of the rescue men were overcome and had to be brought to the sur-

Men "Sealed Off"

Hopes rose when it was learned that the rescue parties had reached a point within one hundred" feet of the entombed men. Shortly before noon however, rescue squads found it impossible to reach the men. and as there was no hope of saving them it was decided to affected in an effort to save he believes that "it is more should not be wasted. the pit.

by with sand awaiting orders. | national homeland." The miner killed in the blast West Calder. He is single and 23 years of age.

thony Gaughin; Henry Cowie; David Muir; George Easton; John Lightbody; W. Greenock; John Fairley: D. Carroll and W. Carroll (brothers); Heggle; W. Ritchie; Samuel not like their soldiers taken not then resent the use of troops: Pake; James Macaulles and away and shot."-Associated recognising that the people of William Findlay .- Reuter.

Warsaw Government:

Hanoi

Sewers

Blown Up

French engineers blew

up sewers at numerous

points in the city after it

was found the under-

being used by Viet Nam

guerillas as supply

routes, the French Press

Agency reported from

The report said a number of

women were found hiding in

.... Hanoi today.

of these passages.

in Indo-China.

restore the water supply.

control of the frontier areas.

settlement. United Press.

Hanoi Shelled

ground passages were

Paris, Jan. 11.

EFFORTS TO SAVE LONDON'S SUPPLY OF

Emergency Measures Go Into Effect Monday

H.K. SHIP HITS

Not two hours after she Kwongchowwan, the ss. "Toi Shan" struck a mine some 10 miles west of Tai-O shortly after noon yesterday. Messuges received in Hong Kong last night reported one dead and two injured, removed to the Tat-O Hospital,

First reports also mentioned 60 survivors having arrived at Tai-O. It is believed there were about 120 persons on board. A Royal Naval tugwas despatched to the scene.

Friendship

New Orleans, Jan. 11.

Sulzberger discussed ... The men trapped were: An- wherein he emphasised he was families, including their own. specking as a Jew.

the British use of troops used in the London dock strike against extremists in Palestine just over a year ago," Mr. for "naturally, the British do Struchey added. "The dockers did

Warsaw, Jan. 11.

Ambassador

treason, testified before a Military Tribunal

that the British Ambassador to Poland receiv-

A defendant, one of four persons charged with

London Dockers To Join Strike?

London, Jan. 10.

Strong emergency measures for the distribution of essential foodstuffs which inevitably involve the use of military labour, will be put into operation in London on Monday and if necessary in the provinces to ensure the distribution of food supplies while the strike of transport workers continues.

The Minister of Food, Mr. John Strachey, made this statement at a press conference in London today. It was later stated that weekend leave for motor transport drivers in the Royal Air Force had been cancelled but that Army leave

was not affected:
Mr. Strachey said that the main ers to join in a great London KUSS 21 business at first will be to save shut-down on Monday if troops is large quantity of meat which move in. would go bad if not moved very | Members of the southern area

At thur Sulzherger, publisher Strachey emphasised the Govern- to handle any goods moved to or seal off the section of the mine of the New York Times, said ment's determination that it from the ports by road transport.

This operation was carried to get along with Great Britain port workers had expressed re- following the announcement of the out by firemen who had stood than for the Jews to have a gret at the hardships imposed resort to troop labour, have threaon the public and he hoped they lened a complete walkout if troops Here to attend a meeting of would not resent the emergency are used .- Reuter. was John McCarthy, of Polbeck. the Associated Press directors, measures which were absolutely necessary to prevent widespread 1 Palestine issue in an interview suffering to most of London's Army Protection

, He maid he could understand "Military Jabour had to be London had to be fed. I trust that the transport workers will see the emergency plans for the distribution of food are not aim-

Latest: ORDER CANCELLED

London, Jun. 11. The Ministry of Lubour announced today, that the order for troops to take oner fond distribution in strikebound London on Monday morning has" been cancelled "until the nosition is made clour."--- United Press,

smash the powerful Win Win ed against them but are designed Underground organisation - to prevent their strike from causopened a trial here described ing widespread suffering." by the pro-Government press as He declined to comment when one that would provide a "sen-lasked why London had to wait

rejected any implication that foodstuffs. the British Ambassador plotted | Asked what protection would with an underground organisa- be given to lorries moving the tion whose purpose was to over- food against possible action throw the Warsaw Government, saboteurs, Mr. Strachey would Bentinck, had been recalled to the principal problem at London for consultations on the moment other essential food sup-

Office announced that the Am- the military to decide. bassador, Victor Cavendish. He said that while meat forthcoming Polish elections, plies would be quickly affected which have been the subject of unless "adequate emergency protests from the United States measures were brought info and Britain.

was "satisfied Mr. Cavendish-"Bentinck has not been engaged! the sewers and they are bein apy improper activities lieved to be the supply agents. | against the Polish state." Viet Nam troops also made use

The Foreign Office said main, depriving parts of the case which may be forwarded

French forces have recaptured The Ambassador was expect- Page Two the important frontier town of ed in London today but the Son La near the Chinese border | Foreign Office said he would be back in Warsaw within a week. Page Three The action indicated that

French forces were regaining Viet Namese infantry and ar-French disputches and the Vietnamh President, Ho Chi tillery had renewed their at- Page Five tacks on French positions in Minh, had sent a letter to the French Government, outlining scattered sections of Tonkin, Page Six conditions which he would concentrating shell fire on the consider , necessary, to re- hospital sector of Handi .-- As- Page Seven establish peace, including the sociated Press renewal of talks for a definite

Reinforcements The French liner Pasteur to-

ed state and military secrets from an underground organisation plotting to overthrow the Soldiers armed with machine-! guns guarded the court room us the Government-out to

> sation of sensations." In London the Foreign Office the distribution of essential

The Foreign Office said it

had authorised the Ambassador In several places: French to answer in writing any quesoperations damaged the water tions in connection with the town of fresh water. Repairs to him on behalf of the court are now proceeding in order to by the Polish Minister of For- IN

-Aracciated Press.

Saigon, Jan. 10.

juntil Monday for a new start in

At the same time the Foreign only say that was a matter for

force.—Reuter.

Dockers, Too?

London, Jan. 11. Dockers in London and other ports threaten to join the London ! transport strikers if Service men handle food supplies for London held up by the road strike. Leaders of the transport strike have sent out calls to other work-

H.K. Through Eyes of a Luncashire Man.

Kotewall Testifies at Trial o Page Four

Latin America Goes Left. U.S. Buses in Pacific.

Lords of the Munor Move to the Forever Amber. Foreveri Page Eight and The

Monty Calls on Stalin. Page Nine French General Staff dis- day arrived at Salgon with Page Ten patches from Salgon said that (Continued on Page 8, Col. 8). Home & Local Boorts News, etc.

of the Port Workers' Defence A considerable quantity of this Committee, covering all ports meat is imported from Argentina from London to Bristol, last night . ______ and the United States, and Mr. called on port workers to refuse Workers at London's great cenimportant for the United States |. Mr. Strachey added that trans- | tral meat market at Smithfield.

Bristol, Jan. 10. There was a gasp from the crowded magistrate's produced showing, according to a doctor-witness, the location of the yesterday evening at nock. whose widow is William Nodes Funeral her husband.

The prosecution say that Cornock was drowned after his wife had hit him with a child's tev boat while he was tied up with a rope in a bath.

When the doctor said that the injuries shown as black marks on the model head could have been caused by a toy wooden beat, Mrs. Corneck leaned forward and said quietly: "It is untrue."

Another witness, a constable, told the court that the 34-year-cld widow told him without reticence of her husband's abnormality.

Mrs. Cornock, the witness said, had stated that they had not lived a normal life during their whole 13 years of mar-

· A locked suitcase held articles of women's clothing and Mrs. Cornock said: "My husband the interim cabinet a coalition the efforts will be successful. keeps a room in London where he uses these things."-Reuter.

Committed

Bristol, Jan. 11. mitted for trial accused of Party, the Social Demorrane past year but nothing approachmurder. She told the court | Party and perhaps other minori- ing the magnitude of the contoday: "I deny the charge." A ty parties. that Cornock had died from While, the Government is still expected from the celluris of asphyxiation by drowning.

mitted, torn-up papers, said to be love letters, were read. They are alleged to have passed between Mrs. Cornock and Gilbert living for—the day I can say Kenneth Bedford, a 24-year-old you are really mine." cripple who was witness for the prosecution. Detective: Superintendent Carter said that he found them at Cornock's home.

Love-Letters

A letter said to have been each other." written by Mrs. Cornock said: "I sincerely hope after all, over, Mrs. Cornock answered in the military whiphand today dear, we have to fall into one a clear voice: "I deny the had as much as or more reason another's ways, and the sconer charge." Looking pale, weary to fear Marshall's reaction to the better, because all lovers and strained after nine and a open warfare from his new have differences of opinion half hours in the dock, she was post than from his old -- Asso-

STAYED ON BOARD

Liverpool, Jan. 10. the Before der trooping conditions.

the ship.—Reuter.

Severely injured

he motor accident in Nathan Road outside the Dairy Farm Cafe on Friday night, Miss Alia Vassilieva succumbed to a fracture of the skull at the Kowloon . Hospital day night. about two o'clock yesterday morning without recovering consciousness.

The late Miss Vassilieva, who came to Hong Kong in 1938, was connected for some time: before the war with the Hong Kong Hotel, where her cousin. Mr. Oleg Kaluzhny, now in San court here today when a Francisco, was sub-manager prietor was out but was exrealistic wax head was She was expecting to leave for pected back shortly. San Francisco some time next

injuries on the head of Russian Orthodox Church, Kowloon. A funeral service 34-year-old Cecil Cor- will be held at 3.30 p.m. in the charged with murdering | lour. The cortege will pass the Monument at 4 o'clock.

still in a critical condition while ed serious internal injuries.

tror psing Duckess of Bedford left the Mersey for Singapore last night more than 100 male. c'villans returning to the Far East made official complaints about being accommodated in troops quarters and living un-

None of them, however, left

A Requiem Service was held

It was learned last night

Bomb Threats Reported " Up to the time of go-

ing to press all was quiet at the Peninsula Hotel. 24 hours after the ex-Youth Action Organisa-China Mail" yesterday, has demanded \$5,000 severe nature than the several miles from the shore. previous ones."

Rumours that the Hong Kong l however, that the former hotel had received a similar ultima-Friday.

Nearly all goldsmith shops cafes and restaurants in the area between Mongkok' and Tsimshatsui (Star Ferry, Kowlate last night.

One Arrest It is learned unofficially that police hopes of an early round- Gladbach. up of the gang of anti-British terrorists have been raised by the arrest of a man on Thurs- burg.

demand for \$400 from "Overseus "Youth Action "Or- proportion of the coal and I food! ganisation" to the Ching travel supplies were still frozen Chung : Goldsmith's Wan-Johnston Road, chai, at about 8 o'clock no Thursday evening. A female shop-keeper tried to detain him on the pretext that the pre-

the Police, he claimed to have Jews, He is still being detained in worked as a spy during the Wind direction

that Mr. Eugene Tsenin, also it is also feared that Mr. Valeninjured in the accident, was tine Novikov may have suffer-

Mid-February Set As Target Date

Nanking, Jan. 11. police The National Administration set mid-February as the target date for the completion, reorganization and broadening of the Chinese Government, "with or without participation of the Communists," usually informed sources told the Associated Press today.

ministries will be minority parties and nonin character, these sources said. The programme, if carried to completion, means that numerous top men in the Kuomintang must relinquish the posts they now hold in favour of represen-Mrs. Cornock was today com- tatives of the "Young China

considering sending emissaries Just before accused was com- to Yenan in the hope of find-

> soul. I will always truly belong plete explosion, to you in my heart. I know, my . The same official insisted it darling, that neither of us can was erroneous to believe that

There is only one thing I am led below to the cells,-Reuter, crated Press.

Approximately half of the ing a formula for the resumpoffered tion of peace talks, there is little genuine hope among the partisans in an effort to make nation's highest officials that Neither is there expectation that the next few weeks will see a large scale civil war.

No Explosion

There has been occasional heavy fighting in China the flict which a could have been more than 4,000,000 men. One official pointed out that

the neople who are l'quick to call Gen. George C. Marshall's mission a failure, have forgotten that for nearly affyear he was able to prevent the Chinese Bedford is alleged to have powder keg from more than written: "My own darling Ann, spluttering around the fuse and ! I love you with my; heart and has been able to avert a com-

find any real happiness without Marshall's departure was the [signal for unrestricted warfare. When the charge was read The Government which held

Germans Dying Of Cold In Hamburg

A ban was imposed today on a proposed demonstration march by Hamburg Communists to the City Hall to protest against the lack of fuel and light as another death from cold was re-ported, bringing the total for the last four

days to 24. Instead the Communists will hold an indoor protest meeting at the Flora Theater in Hamburg's "Red" Altona district.

The German "authorities today decided that all Hamburg's shops, with the exception of those enbe closed for three days a week. BITE AND BOUNCE A Reuter report from Bucharest sively reported in the states that the city has had no bread for the past three days, owing to the intense cold in which temperatures of 22 degrees the hotel is to be spared | centigrade below zero have been bombing of "a. more recorded. The Black Sea was frozen over for a distance of

Other Reuter reports are: Belgrade: The cold wave which and Gloucester Hotels had re- has been disrupting Yugoslavia's ceived similar black-mailing de- food supply traffic and reconstrucmands were denied by their tion, seemed to have ended today managements. An apparently when the temperature jumped in reliable source who prefere two hours this morning from to remain unidentified said. five degrees centigrade below zero to three degrees above. The lowest temperature recorded in tum which expired at noon on Belgrade during the cold was 22 degrées below zero.

Canals Frozen Herford: German police fired over the heads of 300 coal train looters at "Grevenbreich, neat noon) have also received black. Cologne, Control Commission ofmailing letters, it was reported ficials disclosed today. Other ing entry permits for the Holy by Land looting raids were made crowds up to 100 strong on coal trains and local gasworks in the Rhine city of A total of 225 arrests of coal

pilferers was reported in Hamley reads halted virtually all beyond capacity.—Associated He delivered a threat and a road transport, and on canals Press.

the and rivers, over which a great Silop, up.—Reuter. BETRAYED, OWN

The Hague, Jan. 10. Sentence of 12. years' imprisonment was passed by The Maximum: 72.5 deg. Fab. The man became aggressive Hague political tribunal today Minimum: 61.8 des. Pah. and left. He was followed at a on Caroline Fransman, 27discreet distance while the year-old Jewess, found guilty will mm. as against at average of alarm was raised. Arrested by of betraying a large number of including her own been merely delivering the note | brother, to the Gestapo, for | Baro, at miss. 1019.1 m.b. 1014.8 m.l. at the request of someone else. whom she was stated to have Rel. Humidity

German occupation.—Reuter.

BROTHER

IS OUT - New Dolhi, Jan. 11. The old bite and bonnee system for testing whether or not coins are real is not practical with India's new pure nicket half and quarter Rupec pieces, so the Government is: making magnets for detecting counterfeits. The magnets will be part of the equipment for village headmen. - Associated Press.

Jerusalem, Jan. 11. A reliable informant said the British authorities were seeking tighter control over Mediterranean ports to prevent further immigration of Jews lack-

The informant said the British, presumably in association Muenchen- with the French and Italian Governments, wished to prevent the sailing to Palestine of immigrant ships, described as often unseaworthy and loader

All anticyclone is developing ever Mongolia and is extending 8 and E. The northern depression is moving ENE scrows the Ska of Japan with a secondary near, Tokyn." Gradienta are slight over S China and pressure is low over the equator. Teday's Forecast: -- Moderate E winds. freshealing later from NE; cloudy; misty;

Yesterday's Weather:--Rafniall: Nil mm. Total since Jan.

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When Fung Mui appeared | " before Mr. Latimer at Kowloon yesterday, charged with larceny S/I Askew informed the Court way out. complaints, a special patrol of it has been part of his province official Parliamentary delegations that, as the result of numerous detectives were put on duty on as one of the very few Conserva- are allowed to see everything a sampan on Priday night.

sel upon which one of the men has been made in the handling of necessarily have to deal with jumped into the water and disappeared into the darkness, many and yesterday, "Having ficials." Accused was arrested on board. I am convinced the mice strains. Worship.

MORE HASTE, MORE FINE

barley, nine boxes of macaroni, under-nourishment." a box of raisins, and three boxes of grape juice which did; not appear on the ship's mani-

to have the manifest altered. yesterday: "It is important that gration from England." He pointa hurry he did not have time mentary missions. He told me His hurry cost him \$100.

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A Lancashire Man (By Margaret Bradbury) In Hong Kong today with a keen eye on politics

and business is Mr. Walter Fletcher, Member of Parliament for the Lancashire town of Bury-industrial working mans constituency with a total population of 64,000.

Mr. Fletcher who arrived here is to keep Far Eastern subjects by finding of an anchor on by air on Thursday for a short before the public at home should board a junk at the Yaumati visit from Enland spent one week have first hand knowledge and typhoon shelter on Jan. 10, in Singapore and Java on his make use of the Parliamentary For the past sixteen months themselves, I do not believe that

tive representatives of a working that they should see. The in-Seeing two men on a junk, class area to expose the much dividual can get many more the detectives boarded the ves- publicised extreme muddle that contacts than a body which must

I am convinced the rice situation of the Conservative Far East Inquiries were made by the there is an example of the failure Committee is not a stranger to Police but the owner of the of bulk buying and the Govern- China. During the war he spent anchor could not be found, said ment method not to use establish- two years in Kunming and S/I Askew, due no doubt to the ed and organised commercial Chungking and this is his second junk people's fear of reprisals channels." Mr. Fletcher declared visit to the Colony. "Hong Kong," from the wang which is operat- that a million and a quarter he said, "has obviously done an ing in those waters. There tons of surplus rice is now lying excellent job of rehabilitation was, however, no suggestion in Siam waiting to be shipped to compared to the Netherlands that defendant was a member areas where there is existing East Indies, Bangkok and Ranof the gang, added S/I. Askew. semi-starvation and starvation. | goon. I feel that the only two When he returns home on Jan. points of stability on which a new labour was passed by His 19 it is Mr. Fletcher's firm inten- and solid Far East can be foundtion to tell the House of Com- ed are Malaya and Hong Kong.' mons and the British press that While in the Colony Mr. "75 per cent of the troubles in Fletcher has four firm intentions Malaya are due to lack of rice, which have nothing to do with while 500 miles over the border the main objects of his visit. As an enthusiastic painter, he will

there is this enormous surplus." Said Mr. Fletcher: "In my take advantage of the beautiful just off Green "Island on its opinion, to have an allocation Hong Kong landscapes and as a way out of the Colony it was board and a control in Washing- luxury starved traveller from intercepted by S/I Blackhurst milion on the state of this board has de- austerity England he will "eat who, on boarding, found on remotences from notices a land drink well and often." board 22 tins of paint, two startling to those who are aware bales of cotton, three bags of of all the evils which arise from

Worm's Eye View

A firm believer in the worm's those in the House whose duty it



An extremely competent performance of "Unto Death," a complete incident in the early part of Edward Murphy's "The Scarlet Lily." the story of Mary of Magdala now being filmed in Hollywood, was put on this week by pupils of St. Mary's School, Kowloon. The entire cast of the play is seen above.

MEMORIAM

ment appeared in a recent issue of "The Times" in

London:— Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps .- In proud remembrance of the Officers. N.C.O.s and Men of No. 3 (M.G.) Coy., Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps. who died in the defence of the Colony.-"Sandy."

Wedding

Lam-Dee

prominent". Chinese families were united yesterday at St. John's Cathedral when "It seems to me about time that tian, and unwise for the non-Miss Juanita Dee, second some drastic action should be Christian with its engendering of Giving a description of present daughter of the late Mr. Dee, taken to curb the insidious anti- bitterness and revenge in the conditions at home, Mr. Fletcher | became the bride of Mr. Daniel | British propaganda. . . ."

Manila a month ago and Lux from writing to the Press way of food, clothing without brought with her her bridal since it is obvious that he belongs Sing pleaded that as he was, in agreement with official Parlia- ment it would cause a mass emidress with a cloud of tule veil- than the incidents he has referred ed out that although undoubtedly ing with gauntlets to match. to. fort in the Colony it does not She was attended by Miss compare with conditions under Diana Young as bridesmaid and which the majority of people, in- by her niece as flower girl, cluding returned servicemen and both of whom were dressed in newly married couples have to pale pink silk. The page-boy, the bridegroom's youngest broof house, ther, was dressed in black satin the meagre daily diet, insuffi- trousers and a white crepe de difficul-

chine blouse. Following the wedding a reties of transport," he said, "are i ception was held at the Hong the lot of the people now at home. Kong Hotel attended by over One has almost a sense of shame while shopping or eating here. eight hundred guests. Speeches Hong Kong should remember this were made by the bridegroom's and realise that exports from father, Mr. Lam Chi-fong, Mr. England which fill the shops are Paul Lyn and Mr. Tong Cjongpart of the war sacrifice wai. The seven-tiered wedding which England is paying." cake was cut by the happy couple and then in traditional Chinese custom the guests scrambled for a souvenir of the

> wedding. Dean A. P. Rose officiated at the ceremony which was read in Chinese and in English.

arraigned before Comdr. Ryder

O'Connor had a good record, Court.

Comdr. Ryder, convicting ac-

PRICE

live in England.

and

Additions and amendments to the price control schedule were gazetted yesterday, as follow:-"Acme" pints Max. Wholesale Price \$1.20. Maximum Retail Price for consumption of the premises \$1.40, Maximum Retail Price for consumption on the premises \$1.70 per bottle. Motor Vehicles, Motor Cars, Mor-

Conditions At Home

each, Morgan 4/4 Two Seater Mir. w. n. rhuyer, Deputy Ship- vas bags which contained some The trial continues tomorrow who have passed examinations \$9,000.00 each, Morgan F Super ping Master, prosecuting, said the vas bags which contained some 3 Wheeler \$7,000.00 each, Mor- case was similar to that of Fen- | four or five cardboard-packed morning when Tokunaga re- and obtained Certificates of Comgan F Four Seater 3 Wheeler ton's, who was cautioned by the parcels. \$6,000.00 each, Chevrolet, Style- Court the previous day. He came master Sedan \$9,490.00 each, into his office in a dazed con- the witness-box during which Triumph, 14 Saloon \$15,400.00 dition, enquired whether his ship period he kept stolidly looking

had sailed, and then left again. in front of him, Tokunaga's at-The following items are de- There must be something titude changed yesterday and Motor Cars. Chevrolet, Sport wrong with the liquor seamen are he glanced about the Courtroom Sedan Maximum Retail. Price getting in the Colony," said Mr. and occasionally smiled when \$9,980.00 each, Standard-8, Saloon Hillyer. 36,940.00 each. Standard 14. and possibly he was not aware of Saloon \$10,390.00 each. what he was doing. Motor Trucks. Chevrolet,

. \$10,420.00 each, and are sub- cused, said he could not but take not permitted tobacco into the a serious view of the offence. stituted by the following:-Motor Cars. Chevrolet, Fleet- Having been in the service for so long he should know better than master Sedan Maximum Retail to go to disreputable places for Price \$9,900.00 each, Standard 8, Saloon \$7,200.00 each, Standard drinks, and a fine of \$100 was im-14, Saloon \$10,590.00 each,

Motor Trucks. Chevrolet, Truck 31/2 Ton Chassis with Cab Model 6403 \$11,710.00 each.

PRICE CONTROL **ADVISORS**

(Chairman). The Price Con- Hong Kong on Tuesday Mr. P. S. Cassidy, Mr. F. Manila en route. Yuen Heung-to. Mr. Chu King-

and grades, has been added to penimula departures in M.O. Oillet an

H.K. And Germany

"Fiat Lux" Sir,-Will Fiat Lux, who ocparently interprets every obvious sign of nationalism and resentlment on the part of Chinese nationals here as being anti-British,

enlighten-me on the following: 1. How does he come to the conclusion that the report quoted in propaganda?

Chinese Government with anti-British hallucination? 3. What is his definition of

anti-British? Fiat Lux opens his letter with:

winter are bad-very bad.

children, who are too young have contributed to the causes which brought about the present his lengthy letter is anti-British state of affair, to go through the day on empty stomachs, ill present severe winter. That years is no argument.

To tolerate the present plight illogical for the professing Christ

said: "If we were to fly a 'plane Lam, eldest son of Mr. Lam To me its seems about time that Consciences in England have to Hong Kong and show them The bride arrived from taken to curb people like Fint has been prevailed upon to allow problem, of providing a varied and nourishing menu that has confronted her for the last seven years, to contribute some of the family "points" which then can be converted into supplies to Ger-

of children in Germany is surely

many. It may also I believe now

Allowed Tobacco

Red Cross parcels by the "Tela Maru."

read over to him. The Inter- Americans.

emphasising a point to the

Message In Tobacco

period. Tokunaga said that

while being interrogated at

Stanley he had been presented

with a copy of a letter address-

ed to him by a POW request-

ing that tobacco be allowed to

enter the Camps. The letter

predated his arrival in

Colony in January, 1942,

Questioned as to why he had

Anti-T.B. Drive

last Sunday issue on the efforts and hopes of our association. combating tuberculosis which is Deputy Director of Health Sertaking such a heavy toll of lives vices. It may interest your readers to

generosity of Sir Robert Ho Tung that we are now in a position to Tokunaga Isao's fifth day under cross-ex- order a mass radiography unit | Board. amination by the Prosecuting Officer, Major which will be named "Ho Tung Mass Radiograph Unit" and we to be Supervisor of Midwives G. B. Puddicombe, K.C., bogged down yester are grateful to have such a dona- and Secretary to the Midwives day at No. 5 War Crimes Court to an adamant tion for the well being of the Board.

. Our immediate aim, as stated Commandant that he had said "bags" and not in your esteemed article, is to "boxes" when giving evidence of arrival of build an association headquarters in which our clinics and working Tokunaga claimed that the lot, he said, went by train. staff will be housed to carry on stenographer's transcript was were. He thought they were raised. We look forward for friends and sympathisers of the preters' Monitor and the ad- Asked about the consignment association to extend their genervisory officer to the Defence, of medicines that came by the our help towards this fund so Capt. Kostiloff, agreed that "Teia Maru" for POWs, Toku- that our immediate goal will be

was to "boxes" and that he had the "Tela Maru" brought him Those who wish to subscribe 10 later continued referring to orders from the POW Informathis worthy cause are kindly retion Bureau at Tokyo that "if quested to send their contributions

in the Marine Court yesterday for "boxes" be altered to "canvas stock, and it was better not to Retail Price \$10,000.00 each, Mor- wilfully remaining, ashore after bags" and explained that the hand over all the medicines at The Gazette contain a list of Masters, Mates and Engineers

Readers' Letters be possible for an individual to

Sir,-It is clear from English cupied so much space in your newspapers-from both reports publication today and who ap- of responsible individuals who have visited Germany, and from official Government admittances, -that conditions in Germany this

No good can come of allowing 2. How does he connect the and unshed, particularly in the quoted report, and his obvious has happened to some sections of our, own people during the wan

a portion of their limited allow- argue and fling back-chat when ances it should cost a much they do, and only move when smaller effort for the people of alms have been bestowed or, oh Hongkong to offer of their abund- rare oggasions, assault and batance. Apart from the problem tery seems imminent. The crowd of providing rice for the section | which soon collects only adds to of the community to whom this the fun. commodity is essential, which is outside, and is not affected by, "working" the south side of Des the subject of this letter, there Voeux Road, near the Central is apparently no difficulty in cb- Market. He visited 10 shopstaining any normal item of food and drew "hush" or drink in the Colony. Nor are | nine of them! When last seen, he the rigour of its winter unduly was still going strong in the severe. I feel that many would direction of West Point. All the be giad to show their gratitude shops objected-but not one of for their fortunate position in them thought of calling in the Hongkong by helping to alleviate | Police. starvation elsewhere, if a means for so doing existed. May 1 therefore ask. Sir, if any of your readers know of auitable machinery for putting this into effect, or whether any suggestion could be offered from a knowledgable source, e.g. through Government

Sir.-We are grateful for your article which appeared on your

Why POWs Were Not know that it was through the stand taken by the Japanese POW Camp people of the Colony.

Tokunaga's original reference naga said that the purser of armount will are that Gov-

Following his submission on the medicines were immediate- to our Hon. Treasurers, Mr. D. Hill," Robert O'Connor, 44, was misinterpretation being over by handed over to the POWs, Ruttonjee Shell House, Mr. S. J. ruled, Tokunaga asked that they would at once exhaust the

After more than a week in

deaths or a 65 per cent death rate. The epidemic reached its highest point during November when 820 cases were reported. During December there was a steady fall in the number of cases week by week, the total for the month members of H.M.S. Addinant being 563 cases with 331 deaths. Of the 2,003 cases recorded house. This searching is still

tributed at Shamshufpp, while In order to find hidden cases fication of cases of smallpox to some parcels went to prisoners it became necessary for the the Health Authorities and the at Stanley and one lot to pri- Health Department to scarch value of vaccinations are ob to see any policul. The boy is prosoners at Canton. The latter the whole Colony house by vious.

1,032 were picked up dead from going on and not only every.

Vaccinations

ali 1,525,105 vaccinations were All the 1,347 cases had been done. The fact that the smallsage was found would be spreading the infection for pox epidemic became less seri-

of parcels for POWs was sent the sufferers would never have finite signs of improvement and the lessons regarding noti-

One Way Of Earning A Living

(By "Paul Pry")

Competition for Lucrative employment is hard to get in Hong Kong these days. One of the brightest ideas thought up by one individual seems to bringing in the shekels by a process closely akin to black-mail and though anywhere else in the world he would be promptly turned over to the Police, here in Hong Kong he has been getting away with it so far, anyway. The tools of trade are simple One requires a druin, piece of wood to hit it with, loud voice, an impertinent manner and an ability to fling repartee and

abuse as required. Modus operandi: Pick on a fairly prosperous store—say a provision-shop - with a fair amount of customers passing in and out. Take up a position right in the middle of the fairsend a parcel to an addressee in way, then bang the drum as hard Germany, but this must affect and as rapidly as possible, meanwhile singing out for alms.

If people in England, with Take no notice of shush-ing rationing still in force, can spare | sounds . from shop assistants, "

Yesterday afternoon, I saw him

APPOINTED

The following appointments, etc. were gazetted yesterday:--Mrs. J. F. Faid to be a member of the Nurses Board. Mr. J. B. Griffin K.C. to be

Attorney-General. Mr. G. E. Strickland to be Solicitor-General. Mr. W. A. Jones to be Land

Dr. Yeo Kok-cheang to act as

Dr. P. F. S. Court to be a member of the Midwives Board. Dr. (Miss) A. Sydenham to be a member of the Midwives

Mr. Ho Hung-kin, of the interpreter had misquoted him Tokunaga said he did not know with concerted efforts the work Kowloon Health Office, residing interpreter had misquoted him Tokunaga gaid he did not know of anti-tuberculosis. To this end, at No. 11, Beliran Road, and and a portion of the court who the prisoners at Canton a fund of \$120,000.00 is to be Miss Ruby Cheung, of No. 66, Nga Tsin Long Road, were married by Mr. J. M. Hall at the Registry, Supreme Court

> Kong Match Factory, Tokwawan Road, reports that some time during the carly hours of yesterday a telephone (No 56481), one wall clock, one cotton quilt, and 18 cattles of pink dye were stelen from the

> Beetheven's Symphony No. 3 in E Flat "Eroica" will be the main work in the concert, of recorded music to be presented of Talbot House (Toc H); 50. Mocdonnell Road, at 8.30 this evening. The programme will also include:-Ballet Suite "Carraval" by Schumann and Concerto Gresso in B Flat Major by Handel.

At the Non-Stop Variety Show given at the China Fleet Club on Tuesday, Jan. 7 by members of the Ship's Company of H.M.S. Belfast, assisted by and the A.T.S., the sum of \$800 was raised. The proceeds were hunden over to the Rev. George She towards his Fund for Pri-

Auf 19-year-old youth, who had taken a room at the Sun Wah Hotel, Connaught Boad Central, late on Friday night A determined attempt was under the name of Tam Shu-He was removed to inospital where his condition was reported as fevourable

> With reference to the intervertion of carrying of intection into the wards he is unside to allow anyone but close relatives gressing entistactorily.

H.M.A.S. "BATAAN ARRIVES H.M.A.S., "Bataan," wearing

His Excellency the Governor Australian Squadron) arrived as appointed a Price Control in Hong Kong yesterday.

dvisory Board to advise the "Bataan" is a "Tribal" class secret message would automatic to the population by yaccination. In room early yesterday morning Director of Supplies, Trade and destroyer built in Australia and the land the Director and Director and Director and Director Industry and the Price Con- is commanded by Acting Capt.

d'Almada Remedios. Mr. Kwok Chan. Mr. P. K. Kwok. Mr. man. Mrs. F. F. Ingram, and

the schedule of prohibited exports. L. Loniu.

Rear Admiral Commanding sent in a package of tobacco. say that of all the cases 67 per

troller on matters connected J. C. Morrow, D.S.O., D.S.C., Members of the Board are:— ese waters and visited Shanghai stopped, Tokunaga said that weeks before death or dis- our rather than more serious The Director of S.T. and I. for Christmas. She will leave messages often found on the covery. It is hardly surprising December, when it might have Chairman), Australia, and will call

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

Paningula , Hotel , Arrivals :-- H.O. Sodium sulphide, in all forms saurd Noellen, L.A. Jackson, Cdr. 1.W.T.

In the twelve months January to December 1946 there were 2,003 cases of smallpox with 1,305

the streets, thrown out like re- house but every junk and samfuse by relatives trying to avoid pan in the harbours will be mary Education of Chinese punishment for not informing searched until the disease Tobacco was not allowed in the authorities. A further 315 stamped out. the flag of Rear Admiral H.B. the Camps, he said, because a liberately hidden. That is to Farncomb, C.B., D.S.O., M.V.O. "secret message" had once been liberately hidden. That is to Rear Admiral Commanding secret message" had once been liberately hidden.

cels of a type in which a mes-

to Japan, part of it was dis- got smallpox.

for wrappings around canned goods that there was a serious out been expected to do so, is probbut that these were always re- break under those conditions, ably largely due to the success viewing of Wong Loy the 13 year. moved before the parcel went It is quite certain that if all of this effort. cases had been reported at once? The Colony is by no means Shuimunshan, Sheungshul Disthe Tela Maru consignment have been saved and many of situation does show some de Hon True of the Hon True of Tokunaga said that part of many hundreds of lives could safe from smallpox yet but the

estifies Kotewall Gendarmes were required to col-lect the people to be deported. said he left the Co-operative

depend on circumstances of the

based on the seriousness of

their cases and there is no

racial distinction. Among those

detained, some are merely kept

"5th Columnists"

same. The Government con-

realise this point.

under observation.

"For six days and six nights we resisted all pressure exerted on us to cooperate with the Japanese," said Sir Robert Kotewell, who testified at yesterday's War Crimes Trial of Colonel Noma.

Sir Robert also said that three senior British officials later called on him and Sir Shouson Chow and requested them to cooperate with the Japanese authorities for the sake of the

Chinese community. When hearing was resumed and notification to families of sterday morning, Major Mac- arrested persons appear to be Gregor read a number of very important. The Supt. re-Minutes of Meetings held by plied; this also cannot be done. the Hong Kong Chinese People's There is no such procedure in Council, including the following | Japan. When the time comes, which was a report by Sir | they will be notified according-Robert Kotewall of a meeting ly, but then it will have to held on May 13, 1943; "Confidential"

--- "With references to the negotrations between the Representatives Chuncil and the Gendarmes Dept. as requested by the People's Council's deeision passed at the 104th Meeting held on 3rd inst., I made several appointments with Noma, the Gendarmes Chief, to meet the four representatives. the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the People's Council, but unfortunately the Gendarmes Chief was so busy that it has not been successful. On 10th met lehikawa, the Superintendent of Pelice Gendarmes Dept. when I infermed him that I was representing the two Councils. I then asked him whether there is any need for the Chief's warrant before any arrest is i

are being used by the Chung-The Supt said that this king regime, Britain and U.S.A. The work they are doing is of Once they go through a court. "intermation may-easily leak out. I asked if it was possible ofor the Gendarmes to be in uniform when making an arevest, The Supt said that this is also impossible. Gendarmes making arrests are sometimes ain uniform and sometimes in appain clothes, it all depends on "the circumstances." If they must always be in uniform, it will only give the culprits chances to escape on sight of arresting party. This is not advisable. On the other hand, arrests are not usually made in houses; semetimes arrests are made in streets and sometimes suspects have to be enticed out of place before they are arrested. Anyhow, arrests must immediately be made as soon as instructions are received from superior tions are made to find out the because he had carried on as population of Hone Kong. One officers.

said that in that case, i is possible that people may be held by robbers at any time

ouncil in 1943 and went to ineno a year later. Before that, he had made application to leave the colony, but was not allowed

When it was put to Li that would not have dared to make complaints to Noma when he saw him in 1943, at which time the Japanese Army was at its peak. Li said that the Japanese were ilways claiming to be winning the war until 1944, and that he actually did see Noma.

Kotewall In Box Sir Robert Kotewall then enter-

ed the witness box and said that he was appointed Chairman of the Hong Kong Chinese Rehabili tation Committee at the beginning of 1942 by the then G.O.C. General Sakai.

after the fall of Hong Kong, he was taken down to the Hong in fact," the Welfare Kong Hotel by an N.C.O. of the Japanese Gendarmerie. He was "I then raised the question then questioned along with other at treatment of prisoners. The prominent Chinese by the Head Supt. replied: "If the person of the Hing Ah Kei Kwan (Asia arrested is a person of standing Development Bureau). They were poined the Methodist church. and the case is not a serious asked to co-operate with the Japone his treatment is, of course, anese authorities, but resisted all better than ordinary prisoners pressure for six days and six (like robbers) whose offences nights. They were allowed are obvious. The treatment of night.

persons of standing arrested t Sir Robert said that on Jan. 1. also differ according to the cir-1 1942, six days after his first incumstances of their cases. For terview with the head of the instance, there have already Bureau, three senior British been differences in the treat- officials called on him and his planning-to-join the Catholic ment of Chinese and English- former colleague, Sir Shouson men recently arrested. This is Chow, in China Building. They were the Hon. Mr. R.A.C. North. who was then Secretary for Chinese Affairs, Mr. (afterwards Sir Granville) Alabaster, the Attorney-General, and the late Mr. with the head of the Gendarmerie. J.A. Fraser, Defence Secretary.

Robert and Sir Shouson Chow to Robert said that there were two "Enquiries show that there | co-operate with the Japanese of them. The first was accused, are people in Hong Kong who authorities for the sake of the Chinese, for at that time, rather until the fall of Hong Kong, Sir Robert was the leader mittee, with one exception, were 5th Columnists. If they take of the Chinese community here, appointed to either the Co-operapart in this kind of work, in representing them on the Executime of war, it is the same as tive Council of Hong Kong. Sir Robert said that the three officials they were attacking Japan by gave as reason for their request cils or put in by the Government pointing a gun at her, except that "if he and Sir Shouson Chow that their method is not the were to stand by the Chinese. they could try to reduce their siders such cases as serious and hardships and sufferings and at hope that the two Councils will the same time protect their interests generally.

Sir Robert said that in March "Do not apply for favour on i behalf of friends and relatives. latives, usually try all effort to

Government, negotiations and Council. bribery may have happened. Leader Of Community But it is definitely not, the

without reason. When arrest is the Japanese authorities appoint- Japanese occupation he heard of effected, thorough investiga- ing him Chairman was probably two schemes for lessening the truth and cases are never de- Chairman of the Rehabilitation was about the middle of 1943 and cided unless they are quite Committee for two or three the other about the beginning of If enquiries show not months and also probably because 1945. guilty, they will immediately be he happened to be the leader of venience. It is like this in Japan Kong. and it should be the same in

cularly hoped that members of Japanese Government and the employment in the Colony. the two Councils should un- Chinese community. According to the constitution of the Council. members thereof were to report 16, 1943; Sir Robert said that he "Of recent years, the actions to the Governor when directed, personally received a copy of the taken by Government in Hong the aspirations and opinions of minutes of a meeting of the Co-Kong may not have been satis- the Chinese people and to explain operative Council held that factory as we might wish, but to the Chinese community the morning. The minutes contained,

improvements. During times of | Government. emergency and the progress of Besides the means which the operative Council had concerning cannot favourably consider ap- cil had of ascertaining public which the work of evacuation was to elect Government officials by Norway, Sweden, Italy, France, plications from Chinese leaders. Council, the Co-operative Council Sir Robert said that he imme-We should realise the situation ing run on western lines as well make representations to the Gov- Government. or Hong Kong. If my service is as native banking, education, la- ernor at their regular meeting needed, I shall try my best to bour and general interests of the with him, which was to be held do and hope that the people will public. There were members re- the next day or the day after. earnestly trust the "Govern- presenting other classes which Sir Robert was then shown a

for the moment he had forgotten. copy of the minutes; which he Sir Robert said that each mem- identified. ber of the Co-operative Council, Mr. Li Koon Chun, who was besides his general daty to the that as a result of the meeting, then called for cross-examination, public as a whole, made it his they brought to the notice of the said that rice ration certificates duty to ascertain the wishes of Governor the various points raiswere issued to the number of per- that particular section which he ed by the Co-operative Council sons reported by the District represented and when there was and at the same time they made Bureaux. In the spring of 1942, any representation or complaint to certain suggestions and requests. when residential certificates were be made, they or each one of Sir Robert said that at the first required, rice ration certificates them would bring up such repre- meeting of the Cooperative Counwere issued on the strength of sentation or complaint at a meet- cil after the representations to residential certificates, ing of his own Council and the the Governor, he went before the Speaking of repatriation. Li minutes of the deliberations were Council and gave them a gist of said that evocuation was at first transmitted to the Representative their deliberations, with the voluntary and was in charge of Council. Such representations Governor. the Chief of Civil Affairs. After- were taken up in the first instance

Washington, Jan. 11. Reports that Madame and Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek are considering joining the Catholic Church were received with unequivocal disavowal in Catholic circles here today.

"President Chiang Kai-shek is not taking instructions in the Catholic faith," the National Cathelic Welfare Conference head office here said.

A telegram it received from Nunking stated "the Generalissimo has always expressed an interest in the work of the Catholic Church in China and its affairs."

"But stories telling of - his proposed 'entrance into the Sir Robert said that two days | Catholic church are without foundation and have no basis ence state continued Madame Chiang was

Methodist at the time of her

marriage and her husband A spokesman for the Catholic Welfare Conference here said "Archbishop Paul Yu Pin Nunking is a close acquaintance of Chiang Kai-shek and it is possible he may have explained the Catholic religion to the Generalissimo but this does not mean that Chiang Kai-shek is rallied.

the Governor's meetings or Civil Affairs Bureau, Ichikl, When asked the name of the These officials requested Sir head of the Gendarmerie. Sir dropped further in the case of

> Noma. The other was Kanazawa. Sir Robert said that the members of the Rehabilitation Comtive or the Representative Councils. Additional members were either recommended by the Counthrough the Secretary General, Tomari. Some of the members appointed by the Government were Japanese-speaking Chinese. Functions Of C.R.C.

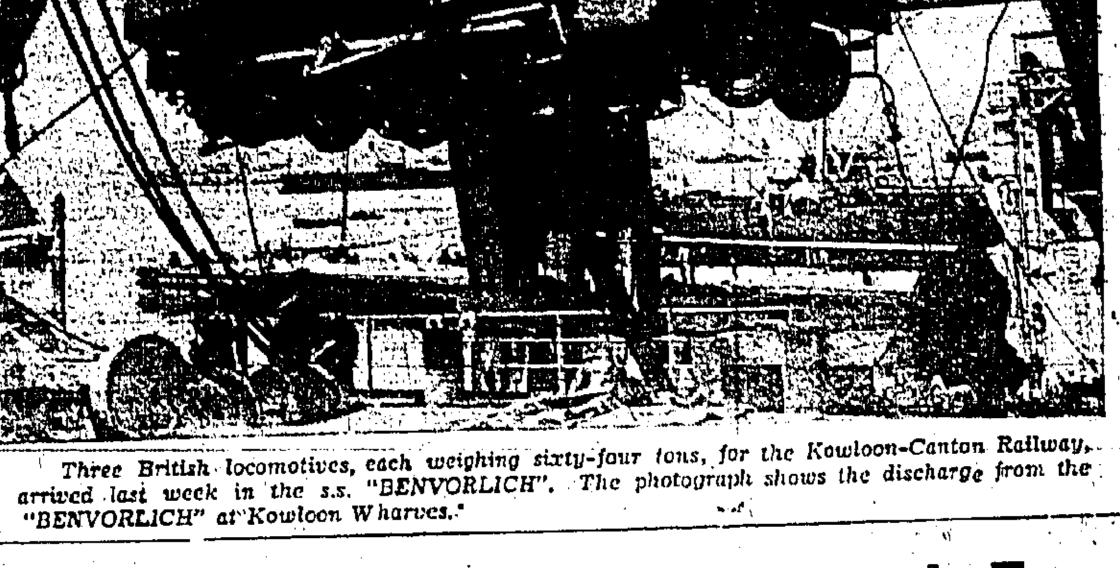
Sir Robert said that the func-1942 he was appointed by the new tions of the Chinese Co-opera-I also know the usual custom of Governor who had just arrived, tive Council and those of the Re-Hong Kong. When a person of Isogal, to be Chairman of the presentative Council were about F.E.A.T.I. Skymaster "Miss Cor- respondent, reported. standing is arrested, his re- | Chinese Representative Council. "the same in both cases, that is, The Rehabilitation Committee acting as intermediary between regidor" is due at Kai Tak toceased to function on the creation the Japanese Government and morrow morning from Manila on of the Chinese Representative the Chinese community. The Co- an inaugural flight to Shanghai. standing to ask for favour. Council as well as another Coun- operative Council represented The plane was christened "Miss During the rule of the British cil called the Chinese Co-operative more particularly the sections Corregidor by Mrs. Roxas, wife spokesman said he was in a postand the difference was that their pines, and dedicated by the Government had representations had to go through Archbishop of Manila. Sir Robert said that he could the higher Council.

and influential favour do not tive Council was roughly to act Chinese Councils, the voluntary khakf cotton cloth. take place in Japan. It is parti- as an intermediary between the evacuation of Chinese who had no

Representative Council on Aug. we have done our best to obtain | wishes and orders of the Japanese | among other things; an account of a discussion which the Co-

Continuing. Sir Robert said

wards, when it was made com- by the Representative Council meeting of the Co-operative pulsory by the Government, the with the Government either at (Continued of foot of next col.) BY EDGAR MARTIN



Money Mart

Gold steadied itself yesterday and closed at \$320 a tael after opening at \$319. It had dronped to \$316.50 but quickly

All attention turned to Plastres once more with reports of a possible end of the fighting in Indo-China, and the effect on the money market was a meetings with the head of the jump from \$13.70 to \$14.50 per 100 yesterday.

Chinese National Currency futures which closed at 60 cents as against 64.1/2 cents the previous day. Some demand for spot kept the price at 90 cents (for CN\$1.000).

\$14.90 and \$12.55 respectively.

"MISS CORREGIDOR"

comfort, of passengers,

ATTEMPTED ILLEGAL EXPORT

Yau Kau," of the Wing Hing The first was that it was Gov- Firm appeared before released without delay or incon- the Chinese community in Hong ernment's intention, to evacuate Sainsbury at Central Magistracy Kong before the fall of Hong the unemployed and also vagrants yesterday for attempting to exand vagabonds and at the same port illegally 580 yards of white Sir Robert told the Court that time encourage as much as possi- cloth, 900 yards of similar white Hong Kong. Therefore, bribery the function of the Representa- ble, with the assistance of the two cotton cloth and 120 yards of

The maximum fine of \$2,000 At a meeting of the Chinese told that forfeiture would follow states. any subsequent offence.

Canton, Jan. 11. stitution, every citizen is requir- [iginal treaty was signed by Bried to register as a voter, in order tain, the United States, Denmark,

Deadline for registration in cil, which was composed of Re- diately convened a meeting of his Kwantung has been set for be strict, but this cannot be presentatives of various Chinese own Council the same day and it March 31 by the Commission of helped and should be excused, interests such as shipping, bank- was decided that they should Civil Affairs of the Provincial An order has been issued to all

magistrates that district Governregistration forms and administer the oath to voters.—Our Own Correspondent.

Council was shown to Sir Robert, who identified it as being correct. Saw Noma

Sir Robert said that he saw Nome in 1942 or 1943 in regard to the arrest of people and the ill-treatment of people while in ill-treatment of people while in Puroiners custody. Sir Robert said that he sometimes went along with an interpreter and sometimes he formed part of deputations.

bered going on one occasion with board a wrecked ship lying high Sir Shouson Chow and Li Chung Po, a member of the Co-operative ported to Hung Hom Police Sta-Council; on another occasion he tions, and Insp. Regers went with a went with Ll Koon Chun, Vice Chairman of the Co-operative Council. There might have been

pose of the deputations or conferences was to try and better

His understanding at all times was that the work of evacuating people from Hong Kong was carried out by the Gendarmes. Bir Robert concluded his examinstion-in-chief by stating that

he could read Chinese. till 10 a.m. tomorrow.

Russian Approach To

Russia has approached the Norwegian Government for a revision of the 1920. Spitzbergen Treaty, which settled Norwegian sovereignty over Spitzbergen archipelago, 1,185 kilometers from the North Pole, it was officially

stated in Oslo today. communique from the Norwegian Government stated that with Russia's consent the British, United States and French Governments were being kept informed.

Norwegian Premier, today re-

Special Interests

which their members represented of the President of the Philip- tion to confirm that the Soviet months asked the Norwegian [Government for permission to] establish a military base Spitzbergen. The British view was that the matter was one for Norway and the Soviet Union, except insofar as it affected the 1920 treaty.

The Norwegian Government communice today said that discussions between the Soviet Union and Norway were held in 1944 and 1945, both parties agreeing that atteration in the 1920 treaty could not he made withlout: the agreement of all signawas imposed and the defendants tories, apart from ex-enemy

Although Russia had special interests she had not taken part in the original treaty. Russia adhered to the treaty in 1925 in which year Norway took pos-Under the new National Con- session of the islands. The or-

Reply To U.S.

Article IX of the treaty on establishment of military bases says: "Subject to the rights and duties resulting from the admisments must provide the necessary sion of Norway to the League of Nations, Norway undertakes not to create or allow the establishment of any naval-base in territories specified and not to construct any fortifications in the said territories which may never

A Chinese constable on duty near Tal Wan beach at about noon Sir Robert said that he remem- on Friday saw some Chinese on land dry on the beach. He repurty to investigate. On boarding the ship the Police found Lau Cheung and Man Shing taking off the vessel's portholes with spanners and chisels.

When Lau and Man were the methods adopted in arresting charged before Mr. Blair-Kerr at people and also obtain better Kowloon yesterday, Insp. Rogers treatment for people under detent stated that there have been numerous reports of losses, running into hundreds of dollars, from wrecked ships. The ship in question is a Soviet vessel which was bombed during the Japanese oc-

cupations. Have been as a second Sentence of three months' hard Henring was then adjourned liabour was passed on each ac-

London, Jan. 10.

While Dr. Einar Gerhardsen, be used for warlike purposes." Reuters diplomatic correspon-U.S. dollars had buyers at fused to confirm or deny the re- dent wrote tonight: It was felt in \$4.67. Sterling and Australian ported Soviet request for military British official quarters that the pounds were unchanged at basses on Spitzbergen Island, the provision in the treaty that the largest archipelago which lies archipelago might rever be used in the Arctic Sea between Nor- for warlike purposes would deway and Greenland, he said finitely include the establishment that the Register of Shareholdtreaty revision was under dis- of any sort of naval base.

Political quarters in all considered the reported Soviet occupation and new forms of Claimed to be the latest in Norwegian parties have no doubt request to be a direct reply to the certificates having now been luxury air transport, embodying that a request for military bases United States requests in 1945 received from England all up-to-date improvements for the has 1 sen put forward. Elizabeth for military facilities in Iceland shareholders are required as the Kitson. Reuters Oslo cor- when the right to use the air- soon as possible to send to the period during the occupation of Germany by United States troops was accorded by the Icelandic Office Government.—Reuter.

POLICE NOTICE TRAFFIC

ARRANGEMENTS RACE MEETING

All Traffic proceeding, to the Races on Monday, Tuesday and Saturday, the 13th, 14th and 18th will bundred and forty seven. proceed in an easterly direction along Queen's Road East to Hennessy Road to Percival Street to Leighton Hill Road turn left clockwise round Wong Nei Chung Road.

Queen's Road between the junction with Hennessy Road and Stubbs Road is closed to all traffic, except motor omnibuses, proceeding in an easterly directly between the hours of 12.30 and 2 p.m. and 5.15 p.m. and 6.30 p.m.

Traffic leaving the Raco-Course will also proceed in a clockwise direction round Wong Nei Chung Road. Vehicles wishing to proceed in a westerly direction may use either Hennessy Road or Queen's Road East.

Parking Places:-North side of Main Entrance to Race Course-Flag cars only.

Public Entrance — Members of Jockey Club immediately outside. 11 cars.

Village, Road, King-Kwong Street, Yuk Sau Street, Aactioneers, Surveyors, etc. Wong Nei Chung Road from the Monument to the Stables facing North - All Vehicles.

The notice appearing in Saturday's issue is amended as in paragraph 1 above. COMMISSIONER OF POLICE

Hongkong, 11th Jan., 1947.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN ers of the Company having Political observers in London been lost during the Japanese field of Keflavik for a limited Company for cancellation the certificates for shares now in their possession in exchange for which the Company will issue new certificates with new disjinguishing numbers of the theres. As from the 14th day of January 1947 the Company's Register of Shareholders will be opened for transfer and transfers accompanied by the requisite certificates together with the approval in writing of the Registrar of Companies will only be registered.

January, One thousand nine

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers.

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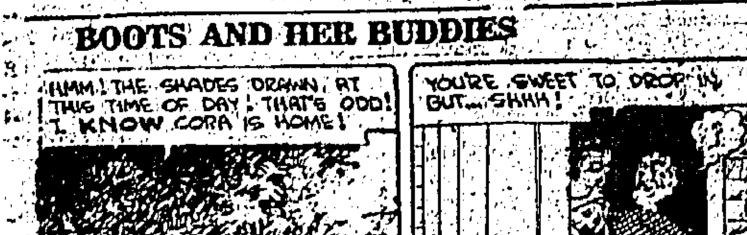
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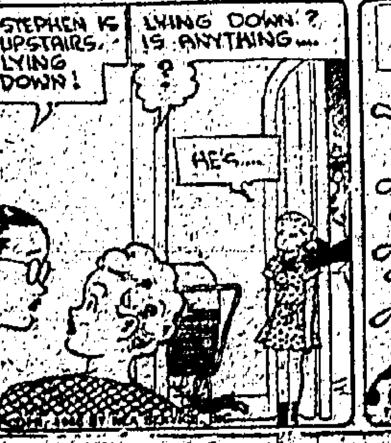












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DEATH

VASILIEVA, MISS ALEVTINA (ALIA)-On Jan. 11 at the Kowloon Hospital. The funeral service will be held today (Sunday) at the William Nodes Funeral Parlour, 216, Wanchai Road. The cortege will pass the Monument at 4

OUTRAGE AND **POLICY**

curfews, searches, and arrests has south of it among the widely been resumed in Palestine. The differing nations of Centra resumption follows upon the kid- and South America. -> napping and lashing of British In all the republies from lofficers and British N.C.O.s by Mexico right down to Cape the Jewish terrorists in reprisal pronounced and executed upon a young Jew found guilty of participation in a bank robbery. This outrage-so the terrorists declare -will be followed by others; and its repetition will not be discouraged by the victory at the Zionist Conference in Basle of what has become an anti-British section of Jewry, A very deep responsibility rests upon this section-mostly composed of American Jews-for the combined ignorance and virulence of their attitude. Quite apart malign the British, who have been friends the Jews have ever had, they are inviting a renewal of the serious consequences for their race. It is not the slightest use for the Basic Conference to condemn terrorism when its majority also endorses the aims and views animatling the terrorists.

The case against the terrorists and their sympathisers could not be put better than was done by a spokesman of the Jewish Agency in London a week ago. "The British Empire is not endangered by the acts of the Jewish terrorists, but the future of the Jewish people may well be The terrorist an unhealthy drift from groups have no conception of the country into the towns. The fund for the purchase of the vulnerable). attack the pride of an army in this American farmers to regard workers in the industry with Pass this last sentence, which may best | making enough money as rapidhe expressed by saying that it is ly ac possible to enable them troops in Palestine any longer to attack with no policy to defend.

For the idea of evolving something from the adjourned London Conference is no longer a policy, if it ever was one. Suppose that the section of Zionists who favour participation should attend when the Conference resumes; and suppose that their attendance did not cause the restive. Arabs to stay away; even then, there would not be the slightest chance of securing agreement between them. labourers. The Co-operative It is the clear duty of the Gov- Movement is weak throughout crament-owed to the British America. Its extension would forces in Palestine above all-to be particularly beneficial in the state and stick to a policy without rural districts, and would help further delay. Too much time and to check the drift from country ton many chances have been fost to city. salready. Let reasonable, Arabs be s given some finality. Let reasonable Jews be given something they can show as the reward of reason. Let the sorely tried British sol dier have cause to feel that he is in Palestine for some other pur pose than to be the plaything of fanatical hooligans.

Irgun Bombs In Italy

Two Irgnn Zvai Leumi leaf- Germany, the Low Countries whale meat—the first ever to pleasant taste. let "bombs" exploded in Italy and, indeed, most of western today-one in Rome and the Europe. The result was a risother in Venice.

The Rome "bomb" exploded proved market for goods. near the Palace of Justice on cluding foreign goods, and an the banks of the Tiber, sending increase in international trade. a shower of leaflets into the But we will need flexibility in

The lenflets said: "The van- must be quick to meet the new clandestine | demands. Jewish Army of Liberation Everywhere I found a real with headquarters in Italy desire to do business with Bri- from a hog or a steer. But a whale ment was a success and mean to destroy the British tain, and a great demand for whale? That is really tonnage that whaling ships now in the forces until the Jewish State is British goods. The complaint, on the hoof-or fin, So a licence Antarctic had equipment abourd restored within the historic in fact, was that we were not was Issued to import some of for making "wham"-unofficial

The Venice "bomb" was goods, and I heard President and in due time this correspond from whale meat. wrapped in a small packet left Peron, of Argentine, in ex- dent queued at that fishmon- But little did I know when Byrnes, the U.S. retiring State inid down his fork and placed I by a young man near the plaining the Five Year Plan of gers. British Embassy Press Office. his Government to the Parlin- The supply was going fast day I would eat him. United to express "real personal sor- pages 244 and 225, Carlyle had

Latin America Goes Left

My wife and I have returned which arrived empty would from visits to Mexico, Central have to leave empty. America, Peru, Chile and the The extraordinary riches of Argentine. A succession of all these countries, and es-Tory Peers' and ex-M.P. have pecially the three leading rerecently been in the Argentine, publics of Brazil, Argentine Brazil and Chile; but I believe and Chile, have to be seen to l am the first Labour Member | be believed. of Parliament to reach any of these important republics since the end of the second World and cheap, Meat is 2d. a pound

the friendliness of the welcome man to kill a steer in the counextended to use just because we try districts of the Argentine be enged to the governing party and consume the meat; but he

keen swinging to the Right, is worth more than the beef. Latin America is swinging to the Left. And, perhaps as a time the most important of the consequence of this, or possibly South American republics, from the cause, there is much appre- the British point of view. Onehension and fear of the future third of the population is of

By LORD STRABOLGI

Lin the Union both of the Ric A gloomy round of outrages, Grande, but hope and confidence

> Horn, the Progressives are not only in the ascendant but are claiming to model their present and future policy on our own British Labour programme.

Even in formerly ultra-Conservative Peru, the present Government rests on a Centre Party which calls itsel Labour. Mexico, Uruguay and Chile are ruled by parties and Governments which can fairly be described as: Latin American equivalents of the British Labour movement.

Agreement -

from the fact that they grossly the movement away from Con- Abstain, which certainly avoids are times, however, when other servatism has expressed_itself | that the most fair and consistent in recent general and Presiden- through the division lobbies tial elections. In the smaller which is such a feature of our republics of the north, notably British Parliament. anti-Semitism which has had such Bolivia, the movement to the Left has been revolutionary and

Though there are widely differing policies with regard to the nationalisation dustry, there is general agreement on the need for social insurance, and 'a' surprising knowledge of the Beveridge plan and of the great system through by Jim Griffiths.

there are the beginnings of an intolerably unfair to expose our to retire into the cities. Thus, out of a total population of technicians and managers, will 8,000,000 in Peru, 1,000,000 live in Lima, the capital. Out of 14,000,000 in the Argentine, nearly 4,000,000 live in greater

Buenos Aires. above all, by improving the re- ring. turns of the farmers and increasing the formerly miserably low wages' of the land

Top Heavy

In the meantime, the cities are becoming top heavy, rural workers are getting scarce and, of buildings in Wartburg. as an immediate remedy, there is a demand for industrialisation. The old Latin American fordstuffs, raw materials, and other primary products and exchanging them with Europe or the United States for manufactured goods, is considered out of date.

This industrialisation need not alarm us in Britain. During the pincteenth, century we ing standard of living, an imour marketing methods, and

boundaries of our country." sending in enough British the frozen stuff from Norway name for the stuff prepared ment, say that in futhre ships helped by a strike of meat truck Press

CARNIVAL

Chean Food

All foodstuffs are abundant and available in any quantity. We were left in no doubt of It is still legal for a hungry must leave the hide hanging up While the United States has | for the landowner. The leather The Argentine is at the present

Italian origin, and the second biggest racial group are the British, of whom there are approximately 50,000 in Buenos Aires alone. They are admired and respected, but not loved, selves very much to marry among themselves, and maintheir British connections, customs and language. Some still speaks of the Argentinians as "natives"!

We were guests in the Argentine Parliament on October 21, when the President outlined the Five Year Plan of his Government. All visitors were closely scrutinised and the police were inclined to be suspicious of my wife's handbag, but were soon reassured.

The Chamber was crowded, envy when I waw that, the conly way a declarer can take deputies could smoke on the trick with a single trump while floor of the House. Also every he has trumps in both his hald Deputy has a desk, and on it ings, and so constitutes time-wasting

Boycott

The Opposition, 58 in number, out of a total of 164, boycotted the proceedings. Opposition, consisting of Conservatives, Liberals and Left Wing Socialists, turned up the next day, however, and offered plenty of criticism of the Plan and much else.

The most interesting part of of social insurance carried the Five Year Plan from my point of view as a Socialist was In the more developed States the proposal that in companies remaining, under private entereconomic revolution, forced by prise the profits over a certain the amount are to be put into a rancour they let loose when they tendency is for the Latin shares for distribution to the East way." There is a terrible truth in their holdings as a means of some years' service to their 28

> By this means the workers which I presume includes the gradually become the majority shareholders with control of policy. And I noticed that the greatest applause followed an attack on the old board of This process can be arrested | management of the Central gradually, as we have found Bank which had apparently in Britain, by increasing the been sabotaging progressive amenities of country life, and, legislation. This had a familiar

That Latin America has a great future is beyond doubt; and we British can have good friends and customers there if we go the right way about it.

YOUNG NAZIS Vienna, Jan. 10.

Five young people aged between 17 and 22 were each sen- voting. Australian tenced to ten years' penal ser-! and Nazi threats on the walls legal aspects of the agreement announced today that he A sixth culprit, 17-year-old | rallot.

Thar she blows. Where?

coveting 80-ton whales.

After all you can only get a

be sold as food in England. We always knew we would overtones of herring but was tion" in London papers of the get to it of course. In this otherwise substantial and ap-statement he made on his return rationed country where serious parently nutritions. And who from the continent last month. discussions go on in the car am, I to complain after wartime Reuter. respondence columns of "The crays into snails, rabbits, frogs, Times" about how to stew squirrels, horse meat and a few squirrels, it was a cinch the litems about which I decided not Ministry of Food would begin to question restaurant chefs.

too clearly. The Ministry of Food said few hundred pounds of meat the first day's trial indicated

By Dick Turner



'Ancestor heap important man-start all modern high pressure tobacco advertising!"

ON By Shepard Barclay

"The Authority on Authorities"

DO NOT ALWAYS RUFF

Considered just of itself. opportunity to win a trick by trumping a lead of some other and I confess to a touch of suit is most welcome. It is the In Chile and the Argentine is a vote recorder, Yes, No, or economy of his resources. There tramp factors are of more importance than the ruffing of that parti cular trick, factors which indicate the advisability of discarding a leser on it and let ting the defenders have th

> SQJ7 H J 10 8 7 D A 9 4 - 7C 1 3 8

N. S.A.9.863.

*S None

HQ964 D K Q 10 7 3 CAK 10 5 " (Dealer: East, Neither side)

_ INT

South's second bid-a higher suit "reverse" at the levei three, after his partner's very modest response of I-No Trump -would have been made by very few players except those of pretty high rank, who thought they could cutplay have paid off with an otherwise | West leads the heart 6 to the unattainable game. Only South's 10?

. Tailare in the play prevented its secomplishing that. West led his spade 4, the J

farcing the A and South ruffing with the heart 4. South's second trump was used up when he led the Q to the K. and his third was used to ruff when he put! Take warning, oafish public. the 6 on the spade 6. His last If you go on much longer trump went then by leading the getting invoived in all these trumps, he had to let West questionnaires, your so-called fore the spade K, and the minds will become a crawling later trick lost in clubs set his mass of miscellaneous informacontract. It was sorry play by tion, which you will be unable

his contract was discard the present. club 5 on the spade 6 return club 10. With the defence then having two spade tricks in hand, it could have got only one more, tract would have been brought i safely into port.

Tomorrow's Problem SAQ75

H 7.5 D 10 7 6 $C \ Q \ 9 \ 8 \ 3$ S J 10 9. HAK4

CAJ 104. (Dealer: South East-West vulnerable).

D.A J.3.

What fundamental of Trump play should guide South their opponents. But it should into a safe game here after

Lake Success, Jan. 11. Trying Council agreed to take over anministration of the free territory of Trieste.

Australia abstained from President of the American Com-

Ansociated Press.

Smertenko Insists On

Professor Smertenko.

delegate mittee for a Free Palestine, who Norman Akin said that his has been forbidden by the British vitude for scribbling swastikas country still objected to the Home Office to reenter Britain. but would abstain in the final returning to London on Sunday

The Council's action removes "My purpose in going there at a secret Nazi Union, was given the last obstacle in the signing this time is precisely what it was Mrs. Slater then asked why economy of producing minerals, five years' close arrest.—Reu- of the Italian peace treaty.— when I first went to Britain more mice could not be brought in than 14 months ago," he declared by plane. Nobody paid the people and Government that it Mr. Tenrgarden was saying is possible to arrive at a reason- | that it applied to export as well able, just and permanent solution as import. Mr. Zazer then askof the Palestine problem, and ed why what was not so could drivers. When he wrapped my that the fate of more than 2,000, not the stated. The Minister Tuckage the fishminger said to 000 people depends upon im- concluded by saying that, as far In my tummy. Have just wok it like roast beef and that mediate action in that direction." as his information went, mice saw the same process in France, sent it half a pound of choice it had a slight oily but not un- Professor Smertenko complain- had not been deliberately introed that the ban was based on the duced into ships, except as an He was right. It had faint "grotesque and deliberate distor-

FROM BEVIN TO BYRNES

Washington, Jan. 10. during these past 18 months him, he used a bit of rasher. since Potsdam and I shall miss to mark his place. Finally Caryou." said the British Foreign lyle said, "Take care! You're-Secretary, Mr. Ernest Bevin, in enting that egg, you absenta telegram to Mr. James F. minded fellow." Rossetti at once I rend "Moby. Dick" that some- Secrétary. He said he wished the remains of the egg between row.' Reuter.

By BEACHCOMBER

In the case of those prefabricated houses which have been built back to "front, local nuthorities (in touch with authoritative spokesmen in official quarters) are being empowered to compel the tenants to cultivate a backwards walk when entering the house from the wrong side. This can be helped by wearing the hat back to front, or sideways if entrance is to be made through a side will. So that all will know whether they are coming or going on dark nights, small rear lights will be fixed to the front of each hat or cap. .

Butcher Sells Towel-Horse As Lamb

Mr. Justice Cocklecarrot administered a stern rebuke yesterday to a woman who was charged with stealing three large girders from a partially built fishworks. The woman, Dora Smoke, pleaded that she needed the steel for corsets. "How many pairs?" asked Cocklecarrot. "Three hundred gross," replied Miss Smoke, "If everybody did this," said Cocklecarrot, "there would be no steel left for industrial purposes" "Maybe not." retorted the defendant, "but women would get proper corsets." "What about whalebone?" queried Cocklecarrot. "You can't build houses or factories with whalebone," said Miss Smoke. There followed a silence filled with frustration.

Thoughts On The Quiz

to the A. Wide-open new in quizzes and brains trusts and to digest. And you will be more All that he had to do to make noisome prigs than you are at

Oldinary conversation will at the third trick. West, win- soon be affected by all this ning with the K. would thus fiddlemeree and foddlemeroo. have set up the dummy's Q to When two people sit next to use later for a discard of the each other one will say: "Who introduced raisins into | Sweden?" And the other will reply: "I don't know, but a with the heart A; and the con- | bear's front paws are larger than its hind paws." Then a third party will join in with: "How do you do? Where does the celery fly deposit its cggs: Alternatively, of course, Mazzini was (a) a pianist, (b) a statesman".

107 per cent thought that a blizzard was the inside of a turkey and that-a nasturtium was a monk-

Dr. Rhubarb's Corner G. S. writes: Four times in 12 hours my brother, who is an accountant, has got his nose caught between the pedals of our pianoforte. Is there an easy and painless way to withdraw.

Dr. Rhubarb replies: Ask me. rather, how on earth your brother, who is an accountant, ever got into such a quandary. Tell him that if he works the pedals with his feet this is unlikely to happen again. Does he, by any chance, stand on his hend when he plays?

Question Time Is the Minister aware that not all the mice in ships are

there by chance?" The question, asked by Mrs. Vebbe, drew an angry answer from Mr. Ploofer. Said. Mr. Ploofer. "Mice can be in ships for many reasons". (Cries' of "Smuggling! Black market!") Mr. Tiddleforth was heard to scream, "Are we sunk so low that we have to import mice?" "It is to convince the British smallest attention to her, as cmergency measure.

> Curiously Enough A story about a librarian who found a piece of bacon-ring

inserted in a book as a marker recalled to me the well-known anecdote about the absentminded Rossetti, breakfasting one day with Carlyle, Rossetti was in one of his absent minded. moods, and was reading a book. "We have often been together | Every time Carlyle interrupted to get more breakfast cooked.

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Ladges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on Nations Trusteeship Council or but many can be used as emer- Government, to send a delegation sale at the Race Course.

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able at the Gate. Bookmakers, Tie Tac men, etc., will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of The Hong Kong Jockey Club

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U.S. BASES IN PACIFIC Committee Report Advocates Retention

Imperative For U.S. Defence

Washington, Jan. 11. A House Naval Subcommittee grimly advised the United States to hold and man a farflung chain of "stepping stone" bases in the Pacific —among them the Japanese mandated islands —against the possibility of war.

If these islands are undefended they could become stepping stones onto our continental shores," declared the three-man subcommittee returned from a survey of Pacific bases.

The Committee's formal re-1 lt recommended that air port to Congress contained but strips, built "at a great cost a single reference to the Unit- in lives and money" on ed Nations, saying merely that Pacific islands, should be "kept "many matters will be settled in repair and read ness for use The Palestine Higher Comon an international plane," by at any time." that organisation. Nor did they They would be valuable not vited by Sir Henry Gurney. mention at all the United only for "strategic outposts" Chief Secretary of the Palestine

under its supervision as has been propösed in some quarters. that inland air strips could be specifically, the Subcommittee preventing the participation of maintained at a low cost "using said "It was a threat to our

Gevernment personnel." In many respects the new occupation of the islands of the demands for the retention of Pacific bases by the United and potential enemy power." States duplicated those of more than a year earlier, but Cemmittee's newly-lodged port came after the crystallisa- would be imperative that such tion of the Trustee Council pro- | sites (as Truk) be developed posals within the framework of to a maximum possible degree the United Nations.

New War Sprinkled through the new Press. report were repeated references to the possibility of a new! war in the Pacific.

"If they were that important! Specific instructions were: to the aggressor, they are many Wake-should be maintained as times more valuable to our an airbase but not a fortress; security now that we have

Truk Base In discussing the former Instead, it said at one point Japanese naval base at Truk natives supervised by military national security which resulted from our acquiescence in the central Pacific by a militaristic

> The Committee said, that "prior to the outbreak of another war in the Pacific, in order to provide for adequate defence." - Associated

Strong Points The report re-emphasised

previous reports that peace and "Of our own bases which at security in the Pacific depend great cost we recaptured," it on U.S. control of Japanese declared, "only this can be mandated islands, especially the Carolines and Ryukyus.

Marcus-important only as use in commercial aviation;

Fastern Carolines-continued occupation to prevent falling into the hands of a potential

Yap Islands—valuable only as emergency landing stops; Ponape - strategie support

The sub-committee reported that a military plan to maintain bases as either outposts or husband's favour. line would extend through the Aleutians .- United Press.

Remain Strong Cleveland, Jan. 11.

The United States will remain "militarily strong until the United Nations is a geing been the principal actress in ing with Cooper again. business," Navy Secretary James V. Forrestal said in an address before the Council on were present. World Affairs.

Then, he said, "It will devote the Commissioner, prov her to ton, said the Commissioner. He necessary to give effective force pravity the like of which he had to the sanctions of that or- never before encountered. ganisation."

Forrestal declared that "the United States will not withdraw ciated Press.

Rioting Flares-Up

Bombay, Jan. 10. stop stone-throwing.

Nineteen people were stabbed, two of them fatally, in the city during that visit he knew there

ing the burning of a firewood depot, were also reported .--Nine people have died from He said: "It was not with my hours ending early today.

In Calcutta, 12 people were injured and 125, including 30 women, were arrested when the police today broke up minor disturbances outside Government of ment offices during the one-day general strike of Government of Tradic civil convents injured by adultant. At the end of a third ployces.—Reuter.

Athens, Jan. 10.

The Foreign Ministry said toduy that Turkey had closed the ing guerrillas from crossing her | Salt. border.-United Press.

SCUTTLE APPEAL Rome, Jan. 11.

What appeared to be a veiled appeal to Italian sailors to sink their warships before surfendering them to the World War II victors came yesterday from Nany veterans of Rome. In an "order of the day" the veterans urged the sailors "not to consent to the shame of seeing fly over the ships a banner that is not Italy's."---- Associated Press.

mittee was today officially .inthe possibility that any or all gency fields for trans-Pacific air to the Palestine Conference, when

it is resumed in London. Jemal Husseini, Vice-Chairman of the Committee, said that the now considered that the cause

former "intervention" in right of Arabs to choose their lown delegates, he said. The Higher Committee meet on Sunday to consider

reply to the invitation and

select its delegates.-Reuter.

£12,000 Party For Deb

London, Jan. 10. The Daily Mirror said today: "The world's most pampered girls -American debutantes arc causing the biggest of extravagance seen in America since before the war."

The Mirror said the icke about the lavish parties given for debutantes coming out is that they are "introduced" to people already her friends because only members of her parents' social set are invited.

"New York society is today recovering its breath from . a £12,000 (about \$48,000) party thrown by Mr. and Mrs. Cor-"Their attendance had been nelius Dresselhuys for launchimpeded by the Government's ing their attractive daughter, the Lorraine," the Mirror said.

"The Dresselhuys' party was rivalled by one given by Mr. and Mrs. Peter Widener for their daughter, Ella, in Philadelphia," the Mirror added .-United Press.

The "Commissioner was not

place between Mr. Rickelton and

Mrs. Rickelton said she broke

that if he would not give up Miss

"A. Vain Woman"

A shameless and degrading

He was satisfied that Mr.

Some of the most material acts

of cruelty were bogus confessions

of adultery and in relation to

these the Commissioner said that

Once she said she had com-

toldier" who carried parcels home

I'ne Commissioner was satisfied that by her conduct Mrs. Rickel-

costs, but would have to pay the

Rickelton connived at the first

adultery in the secure that he ac-

occasion admitted.

tunity afforded.

prevent it.

Wife Delighted In "Confessions"

London, Jan. 11. The opinion that a village school |headmistress mentally tortured her schoolmaster husband throughout the years of their married life was expressed by Mr. Commissioner Shove when deciding a divorce suit which occupied four

days at Lincoln Assizes. an advanced airbase with its Granting a decree nisi to the husband, Mr. William Rickelton, of Vernon-street, Lincoln, a master of the City School, Lincoln, on the ground of cruelty, he described the wife, Mrs. Grace Rickelton, of Tosside, Skiptón, Yorks, formerly of Yarborough-road, Lincoln, as "a vain woman who had taken delight in boasting and vaunting her invented conquests and of making bogus confessions of adultery to

her husband An allegation of adultery made, distressed and got talking to Miss the mid-Pacific would be built by Mr. Rickelton failed on the Salt. He unburdened his soul to fround two strong points, finding that he connived at it. her until in the early hours, she Hawaii and Guam, with minor Discretion was exercised in the tried to rest and eventually tea

connecting links. The second Charles Joseph Cooper, an satisfied that any adultry took Army warrant officer; who was stationed in Rome when the papers Miss Salt except on the one were served, was cited as corespondent, and Miss Eileen Salt, of Cross O'Cliff Hill. Lincoln, off her association with Cooper, secretary of the City School, Lin- but in 1940 she told her husband coln, was named as intervener.

Mrs. Rickelton spoke of having Salt she would start correspondscenes at which her husband and her alleged partner in adultery correspondence took place in 1944 Letters which she wrote, said

between Cooper and Mrs. Rickelsuch partions of its military be of abnormal inclinations, and, thought Mr. E. M. Mallison, for power as is appropriate and if her word was true, of a de- the husband, had not put it too highly when he had said that the only inference was a promise to resume an adulterous association Prone To Imagination with Cooper as soon as oppor-

Such persons were prone to envisage themselves in the most as interest or its influence from fantastic scenes, and to serve their either Europe or Asia."-Asso- own purposes they would not hesitate to project those scenes on quiesced by taking no steps to to other persons. The Commissioner said he was

not satisfied that shows described by Mrs. Rickelton ever took place, or that ther husband was ever a party to such degrading practices, It was not denied that Mrs.

Mrs. Rickelton was a vain Rickelton committed adultery with a man called Cooper. In 1940 mitted adultery with a "common The police opened fire eight Cooper, with the sanction of Mr times today in Bombay to pre-Rickelton, who did not then know vent communal clashes or to of a guilty association, stayed in the house on his leave. Mr. Rickelton admitted that

on produced mental agony in her husband's mind, and that some things had been done with the was a guilty association between deliberate intention of humiliat-Three cases of arson, includ- Cooper and his wife. . Mrs. Rickelton was entitled to

Didn't Care

stabbing in the new outbreak consent. I did not ask my wife of rioting in the mill area in if she had done her duty to north Bombay during the 24 Cooper, I asked her if she had In committed adultery. I was worr addition, 110 were injured. The down and down, and I got to the number of persons arrested was stage where I didn't care." He also stated: "I said to

India civil servants, joined by adultery. At the end of a third seme Bengal Government em- visit Mrs. Rickelton discovered Unit Cooper was married and sent him off.

Mr. Rickelton admitted adultery on one occasion. His wife said that on at least two nights during the visits of Cooper in June i August she slept in one room with Cooper and Mr. Rickelton Greek frontier to prevent flee- sient in another room with Miss

Mr. Rickelton declared he was

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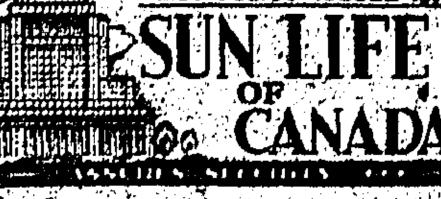


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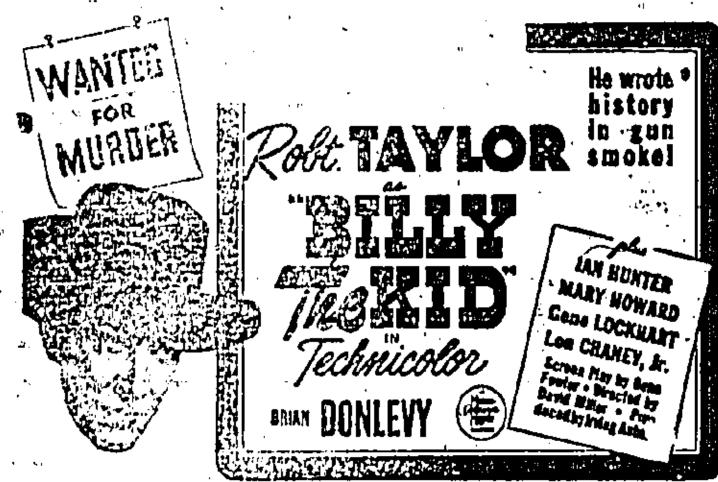
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ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH Nathan Road, Kowloon. 1st Sunday after Epiphany. 8 a.m. Holy Communion, 10 a.m. Sun-Preacher, The Rev. C. E. Moxley RA.F. 6.30 p.m. Evensong, Preacher, The Ray. J. B. Ogilvie, "7.16 p.m. Social" Hour, Gramaphone Recital & Refreshments.

Wednesday, 8 min. Literary Shelety. Thursday 7.45 p.m. Choir Penatire. Sie

dny, 8 p.m. Bible Study Circle.

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

12th January, 1947, Ist. Sunday after Epiphany. Holy Communion, 7,15 4,m., n.m.; 9 a.m. (sumir) Nhon & 7.30 p.m. 10 a.m. Children's Service. Il a.m. Matina & Sermon, Prenchen: The Rev. George She, M.A., 6.30 p.m. Evenbang, & Sermon, Preacher: The Rev. Canbr. Copu.m. Thursday at 8 a.m. Holy Comminion in Cantonese. Every day at 5.15 p.m. Evensume, Note: Scinley, lh. Bungahow "A" Holy Communion at 8 a.m. "

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of Nathan Road) Church Service: Sunday Nights at Siv. Thirty for Servicemen. Prencher; Rev. Andrew Gib (Chineses Missionary). All Service and Civilian Personnel are well-ame.

> THE FREE CHURCHES METHODIST

At English Methodist Church, Quren's Rondo East. Sunday, 12th, Juniary, 1947. 10.30 n.m. Moreing Service. Preacherb-Mr. D. Bernard, 5,30 p.m. United Free Church Service, Preacher: " Bev. A. Danglas Spear, R.N. .. 7.40 n.m. Social Hour in Scilors and Soldier Home. Community . Hymn Singlesc. " Refreshments. Wednesday, 15th, January, 8 p.m. Gramoplane Recital in S and S Home. All- are invited. Thursday, 16th, Jarianry, 7 p.m. Fellowship Meeting in S. and S. Home, conducted by Rev. J. Curry. R.N. Subjust :- Belief in Christ.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST

Hong Kong (A branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ Scientist, Boston, Mass), Sunday Service 11.15 a.tu. Church Building, 31" Macdonnell Road, The subject of the Lesson Sermon in all Christian Science Churches on Sunday Jan. 12 in: "Secrement." The Golden Text: John 6:53. Responsive Reading: John 14:10-15, 21-23. Rending Room open on Wadnesday morning 11-12 noon, Tuesday and Friday from 5.30 to 6.30 p.m. at the Chileh Building, All are welcome.

CHRIST CHURCH Kowbon Tonk Epiphany 7.30 a.m.—Holy Communion. tourage for the Royal Family on they are more able to do this filed by Britain since the in-

Sunday, January 12th. Service at 10.30 n.m. in the Volunteer Headquarters, Garden Road. Preacher The Rev. H. 3. Conway of the China Inland Mission. 6.30 p.m. A United Free Churches Ber-

vice in the Methodist Church Wanchall CATHOLIC CHURCHES Runday January 11.

At St. Joseph's Church Holy Mass at 9,30 n.m. Bermon: Tie Christian. Family." At the Catholic Centre. Holy Mass at 5,50 p.m.

CATHOLIC CENTRE CHAPEL (Hing's Bldz., Ist fl. Tel. 22187). Weekdays. Holy Mass at 7.30 a.m. Monday Jan. 12, Novena in honour of ries. the Immaculate Heart of Mary at 5.50 The p.m.-Rosary, Sermon, Prayers and Bene-

THE CATHRDRAL (16, Caine Rd. Tel. 22874) Morning Services: At 5.00 Holy Mass teermon in Chinese); at 7.00 Holy Mast feermon in Chinise); at 8.00 and 10:00 Church, Masses, (sermon in English). At f p.m. Catechism 'classest at 4 p.m

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ST. BARGARET'S CHUNCH (Happy Valley, Tel. 27807). At 7 n.m. Holy Mans tsermon in Chinese) at 8 s.m. Holy, Mass (sermod to Chinese) t at 9.80 d.m. Chinal Mass (acrmon in English) & Benediction; Weekdays. Masses at 7.00 and 7.30 alm.

ST! ANTHONY'S CHURCH (St. Louis and School Tel, 21226) At 7 am. Holy Mass (sermon in Chli nese); at 8.15 a.m. Roly Mass (sermon in Chinese) and Benedictions / at / 9:30 Holy Mass. Weekdays. Masses at .6.38 and 7.30 a.m.

(20, Chatkahi Roud, Tel. 50001) Morning Services At 8,100 A.m. Holy, Mass (sermon in Chinese) : ht. 7.30 Holy Maxa (sermon in Chinese) : 14 8.50 d.m. Choral Mass with (sermon) in English and Benediction, at 15 mm. Maly Maus "hermion in English), at 2 Bra. Catechism in Chinese & Benediction. Theeday January, 14, at. 7.30 p.ro. High Retruiers Mass for Rev. Pr. Young. All The Chinese Catholic and carnestly invited to attent the Bluss, Saturday January 18, at 2.15 p.m. Calechism classes and confessions for children. Workdays. Masson at 5.50

and 7.30.

ST. TERESA'S CHURCH (Prince Edward Rd, Tel. 50217) At 6.45 a.m. Holy Mass | jeermon in Chinese) : at 8 m.m. Choral Mass (sermon, in English & Benediction; at 10.20 a.m. loly Mant (sermon in English) .- At p.m. Calechism clauses in Chinese, Then Dec. 14. A1. 4.30 D.m. Mactick, a C.Y.L.A. Thursday, Dec. 16, At. 6,86, Dyma Retreat in Chinese in preparation for the Chinese New Year. Preachers, Father Weekdays, Masses at fall and

LORDS OF THE MANOR

Lords of the English manors can more likely be found in the stables or the villages these days than in hig houses.

Prices and taxes are high, there are death duties a lack of domestic servants and a shortage of coal for heating, just to mention a few reasons why these noblemen are not anxious to awel in their massive homes. Mady, particularly those of the younger generation, say not even abundance of heat and servants would make them want to occupy the enormous buildings - life is more compact and simple

As one heir to a title and a the other half to Pan-American "My father is pigging it in Lord Halifax hopes to conour huge, "cold house, in the vert his stables into a residence country. He is trying to keep for himself and his family, he the place and his standards having given his ancestral home early morning tea and at Hickleton Hall, near the choir practice in the Cathedral at 5.30 muffins in a silver dish — you caster, to the Sisterhood of the

> "He added: "It is pathetic for use as a girl's school. seeing him setting the table, Meantime, he resides in and then solemnly going up- village cottage overlooking the stairs to put on his dinner property. for dinner. Nothing At least I can be sure it will jacket would ever induce me to live not go to wrack and ruin like there."

Wartime living changed the buildings of this district, he dea of many of these land- explained. in a more modest house and utilities and railroad transpor- damaged with the loss of sensible manner. But the pro- tation to be of use as public 44 lives last October. blem is, what to do with the institutions.

Lives In Stables One of the more fortunate buildings for armed forces ones is Lord Inchiquin whose seat at Dromoland Castle County Clare, has been in the family since the 16th century. He has half the house and rents

London, Jan. 10. 12th January-1st Sunday after nounced that the personal en-9 n.m.—Sunday School. 10 a.mi-Matin its tour of South Africa this year well than are the individual ception of the United Nations. & Sermon Preacher: Rev. David Paton. | will number ten, plus 19 others. | owners.—Associated Press. —Associated Press. They will be Lady Harlech and Lady Delia Peel, ladies-in-waiting to Queen Elizabeth; Lady | Margaret Egerton, lady-in-waiting to the Princesses, Sir Alan

Lascelles, private secretary to the King; Maj. T. Harvey, young newly appointed private secretary to the Queen; Rear Admiral H.E. White, medical officer: Mai. Michael Adeane, assistant private secretary to the King: Capt. Lewis Ritchie, press secretary to the King, and Wing Commander Peter Townsend and Lieut. Commdr. Peter Ashmore, equer-

The nineteen others who will accompany the Royal Family will include two Scotland special branch detectives.

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Ofder of the Holy Paraclete

Lake Success, Jan. 11. The British Governso many other magnificent ment today filed a formal complaint with the owners who no longer can But many owners find they United Nations Security hardly imagine themselves with cannot even give away such Council charging Albutlers and servants," even if huge unwieldy houses, some of bania with mining the Freut, a well-known London rooms. Many are too far from Corfu Straits, where two architect. "They want to live the source of needed public British destroyers were

> A 60-page document detailing the charges was handed to assisment used numerous such tant secretary-general Arkady Sobolev of Russia, by Sir quarters, offices and evacuated Alexander Cadogan, British delegate on the Council.

> children's schools, and other purposes. New they are empty The United Nations did not again and steadily depreciating immediately make available the text of the complaint but British sources in London said British law asks no taxes that the Government was depaid on empty, unfurnished manding an apology and combuildings and a great number pensation for the damage and of owners have moved away, loss of life.

permitting their buildings to The charges previously were decay while they pay rent for read before the delegations of something smaller and save Russia. China, France and the United States by the British Many ancestral landowners Government in a procedural are anxious to give their houses move. Prior to that, fruitless to the National Trust, a volun- direct negotiations were cartary society which seeks to ried on with the Albanian Buckingham Palace has an preserve for the nation the Government, the British said.

land and houses. As a charity. The complaint was the first

Moscow, Jan. 11. Internationalization of the Suez and Panama Canals was yesterday advocated by the "New Times," the Soviet Foreign Affairs weekly publication.

Canals," said the writer, K. on other countries." Serezhin, reviewing a book by 'Against this state of affairs grud on this topic.

During the war, the Govern-

jewels of a forgotten era.

Given Away

dominant role in the world," Panama." Serezhin said that the "urgent! interests" of all people require | Panama Canals be placed untheir internationalisation.

world Transport and international sconemic society." he danelles and the Danube, which centinued. "But, built in the he said have a vital significance epoch of imperialism, they hear | only for the countries located in the stamp of the struggle and contradictions between the imperialistic states who have turned them into an instrument of

"Many states are interested narrow aims, an instrument of the Suez and Panama | military and economic pressure

the French writer Andre Sic- a powerful protest movement is arising primarily in these Declaring that the Panama | countries which lost their inand Suez Canals have become dependence as a result of the the "instrument in the struggle | domination of the great imperby the Anglo-Saxon bloc for a lialist powers over Suez and

Advocating that the Suez and der an international regime, "I) igging the great canals Serezhin drew a distinction befacilitated the development of tween them and such international waterways as the Dartheir immediate proximity.

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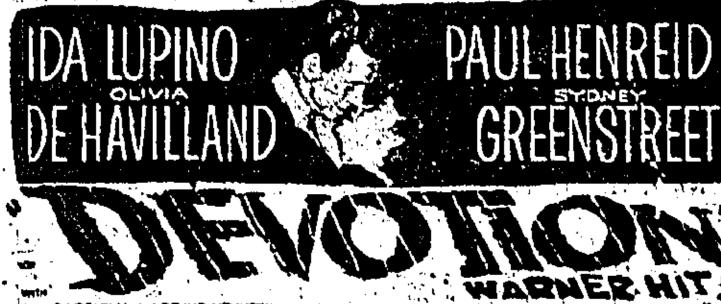
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BRUCE, LORD CARLTON, a cavalier, with whom she falls in love." Amber persuades Carlton to take her to London with him. Eventually Carlton leaves For the Indies to repair, the family fortunes lost in the Civil War. Amber is desolate. She finds herself with child and marries a man who eventually disappears with all the money Carlton had left her. All alone, Amber gets into debt and is thrown into Newgate Gaol, where she suffers every degradations In order to ease her lot was growing worried. she gives herself to a notorious highwayman, who plans their evening just after he had gone escape. The highwayman is and traced idle patterns on the eventually hanged. Amber then | frosted pane with her fingergoes on the stage because she | nail. Her lower lip stuck out learns that actresses cannot be and there was a scowl on her

arrested. She meets Captain Rex Mor-King and favours bim. Rex "Something amiss, mam?" Morgan is furiously jealous, but 1. Amber swung around, giving

forgives herson, who is being cared for weeks I've been coursing this gan 'hears of her love affair | yet!" with Carlton and challenges him Nan closed the warming-pan to a duel. Rexeis killed. Bruce and started into the bedroom once again sails away. The duel with it. "But he's getting throws an aura of notoriety winded, mam. I know he is." over Amber and she finds great favour with the Court gallants. began to undress, but her face Her only real friend is the was gloomy and from time to was with Carlton when he first | tempered sigh. It seemed to

among those gallants of the Dangerfield propose, to her Court; somewhere in London, Nan came to help her undress there must be a man who would and stood behind her, unlacing fall in love with her, who would ber busk. give her what sheawanted. To be famous, admired, desired, now, "You've got no cause for and-most of all....envied.

nant again and feeling ill at led in their house. Why, I'd bet ease in mind and body, she de- my virginity he hasn't laid with cided to go to Tunbridge Wells | any woman save his wife these to take the waters. In the 20 years past! Heavens, give coach she rode with Nan, her the gentleman leave to overmaid, and Tansy, the blacka- come his modesty! And what's moor boy Bruce had given her more, don't forget you've gone

tination when they stopped of virtue. But "I've watched him a sudden. Jeremiah, the coach- like a witch and I know he's man, opened the door and anmam, who's been stopped by she added with a sage nod. highwaymen and his borses taken."

Is He Rich..?

Amher made a face, "Well, ask him if he wants to ride with us. But tell him we're only going to the Wells."

Samuel Dangerfield was perhaps 60, though his skin was clear and smooth and freshcoloured. His hair was whitenot curled. Handsome. 6ft., erect. His clothes were old fashioned but of fine "Good afternoon, materials. madame. It's very kind of you to invite me into your coach," he said to Amber. And gave his

At the fashionable spa Tunbridge Wells Amber and Dangerfield parted at the inn she had chosen, and she promptly forgot him. But later she mused: "I wonder if Mr. Whatd'ye-call-who had his horses stolen—is rich enough to bother with."

At The Wells

It was then that Nan, her maid, came in tempestuously. once that perhaps she had been "I found out from his young wrong, trying to make him footman that Mr. Samuel Dan- | marry her out of remorse and gerfield is one of the richest a sense of guilt. Why, she men in England", announced thought, with a sudden feeling Nan. "Two hundred thousand of discovery, that would never pound, or something like that, even enter his head! Of course John says everybody knows how he's not going to seduce me! He rich he is. He's a merchant | thinks I'm innocent and virtu-"Two hundred thou......Is never marry me any way at all

he married?" demanded Amber | but from his own free. will. as her wits began to revive. "No," answered Nam. Then: I've got to get him to make me "He's just getting ready now an honest proposal of marriage! to go down to the wells".

Amber suddenly flung back the covers and began to get out of bed. "I think I'll go and drink some waters myself. Get out my green velvet gown with blem, and at last they worked the gold braid and the green cut a plan. cloak." And so began her daily meetings with the rich City ber and Samuel-Dangerfield set merchant...and widower.

ablack velvet gown with white robe across their laps, they It was not long before they took to church, full of burning portrait of Samuel and his first Samuel stared first, then asked: fall apart, in little pieces from were spending hours out of coals. every day together.

Konever Amber

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to become acquainted with the few young people there.

But Amber insisted in turn that she hated young fellows who were so silly and empty headed." She often asked him to advise her about financial matters. She mentioned, her goldsmith, Shadrac Newbold, and was glad to see how favourably impressed he seemed.

Samuel insisted she must

grow bored with the company

of an old man and urged her

No Progress

She played for him on her guitar and sang ballads. But at the end of three weeks he had not tried to seduce her and she She stood at the window one

forehead.

Nan, who was lifting ho gan; a gallant from the Court, embers out of the fireplace with who falls madly in love with a pair of tongs and putting her. While Amber is his mis- them into a silver warmingtress she is summoned by the lipan, glanced sideways at her.

a petulant swish to her skirt Then Bruce Carlton returns. | KYes, there is! Oh, Nan, I'm He and Amber go to see their | ready to run distracted! Three by a foster-mother, Rex Mor- hare-and haven't caught 'im

Amber followed her in-and-EARL OF ALMSBURY, who time she gave an impatient illher that she had been trying Somewhere, decided Amber, all her life to Imake Samuel

"Lord, mam!" she protested such vapourings! I know these But believing she was preg- formal old Puritans-I've workas servant, in sullen silence. Ito the greatest pains to make They were nearing their des- him take you for a woman of l mighty uneasy—there's fire in gentleman, the flax and it'll be quenched."

"Only give 'im the right opportunity and you'll have 'imsecure as a woodcock in a noose." She made her two hands her own neck.

quickly about her chin. Then warmth and considered her

her last chance to take the world by its ears and climb on top. If she failed now-butshe could not fail. She did not dare. She had seen too much at irst hand of what happened to the women who, like her, made a livelihood by their wits and physical attractions but who had somehow let the years and the opportunities pass without achieving security.

Somehow, somehow, thought desperately, I've got to do it; I've got to make him marry me!

And as she lay there thinking, it occurred to her all at ous and he respects mel Hell Why didn't I think of that long turned paste-white. "Your ago? But how can I do ithow can I do it——?

Amber and Nan put their heads together over that pro-

And about a week later Amout for London in his coach.

to dine with her at her inn. forest, and the air was chill. For the occasion she wore a and cheerless. With a fur-lined that quiet and wellbred and moflace collar and cuffs "to give her | each had a little brazier beneath a maidenly air," she told Nan. their feet like the ones people room. Over the fireplace hung a dalous news before the family.

and said: "A penny for your to marry her. thought, Mrs. St. Clare." And Amber replied, with a sigh: "I'm going to miss our card games and suppers. It's going to seem mighty lonely now I've grown used to company."

He Falls Ill

But as they talked a sudden spasm of pain shot across his But he protested it was nothing. The pain returned grew worse, Amber insisted they stop at the next inn. There she made all arrangements for Dangerfield to be taken to a room, and having got him there. she loosened his clothes, piled hot water bottles around him.

and covered him with blankets. He begged her not to trouble, but to go on without him, and send a doctor. But she firmly refused. And soon, in spite of his discomfort, it became clear he was enjoying his illness and fear the attack might recur.

A Nursemaid

him and she was out of bed fatuation.

on the windows gave it a first Mrs. Dangerfield, understrange intimacy. He reached stood immediately why it had for her hand beneath the robe, been possible to induce Samuel

Big Family^a

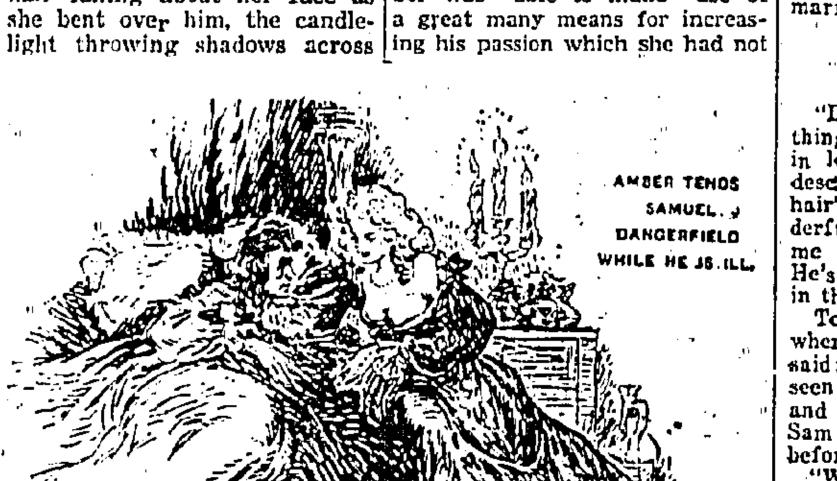
Promptly at one o'clock Samuel and Amber entered the diningroom. Every member of the family who was at home and old enough to walk assembled to meet her. Almost 30 persons stood about the huge table. Such large families were common among the richface. Amber seemed alarmed, er middle-classes, and, of course, there were Samuel's grand-chil-

> many people to divide a fortune between. Well, there's one more now." She had expected them to be hostile. They were; for by law in the City of London one-third of a man's fortune must go to his widow. If she bore him a childas she hoped to do—she might even get more.

· An "Alien"

That was not the only reason the attentions it brought him; for their dislike. She was to them the care of a beautiful young en alien. Her beauty was too vivid woman who refused even to to be decent in their eyes. They leave him alone at night for recognised her blatant quality of sex allure. A woman's eyes should dismay of her elder sisters she When?" Inot have that wicked slant, nor her body an air of being unclothed even when thoroughly She slept on a trundle near covered. And lastly was their him. 'The slightest sound from father's obvious and shameless in-

and beside him; her rich, heavy | For once married to him Amhair falling about her face as ber was able to make use of



Her voice was like a caress, ship.

one day as she was dressing in to bind him even closer, she pan-This was, and she knew it. the room which adjoined his dered in every way she could to chamber. "I think when I marry his concupiscence. this old man I'll be a nursemaid. and not a wife."

> "Heavens, mam, it's you've insisted he can't get out of bed And it was your idea in the first place to feed 'im those toad

cautioned Amber. "You've got no business remembering such things." She wer toward the door of the next room; an expression of sweet tenderness spread over her face before

Wed Again

aristocratic old quarter of Black-, ently, had, worked so hard friers. Climbing out of the coach seemed so little interested ing nervous at the prospect of habits of a lifetime. meeting his family.

It was Lettice, Samuel's eldest daughter, who greeted them first. "My dear," said Samuel to Am-That's what I've got to do ber, "may I present my eldest my wife." Lettice gasped and wife? But, Dad . . . you're mar- clining and apparently immoral ried? Your letters never mention- years. ed . . . we didn't . . . oh. I—I'm

sorry—I. . . ." Samuel and Amber went upstairs to his apartments. Dush furniture, topestry-hung walls. She invited Mr. Dangersield It was raining through the The impression was one of sober-

derate people lived in this house. They walked into a drawing-

into a trap and put them about her arms and into her breasts, dared employ during the court-

While Amber stepped out of her flesh was warm whenever she | She knew that her chief hold her smock Nan whisked the happened to touch him; the heat over him was her youth and warming-pan over the sheets, of the room brought out an in- beauty and flagrant desirabilitytoxicating fragrance of jasmine qualities his first wife had utterber jumped in, pulling them up and ambergris in her perfume. ly lacked and would have scorn-And he remained in bed many ed as more suitable to a man's she lay there in luxurious days after all the pain had gone, whore than to his lawful wife. "Ye gods," said Amber to Nan And, because she wanted a child

Resented

with her, lost weight, and-even though he made an effort to behave decorously before his family-his eyes betrayed him whenever he looked at her. They were aware of all this, aware, in fact, of more than any of them cared to mention, and their hatred grew. At his age it seemed to them

not only disgusting but actually treachous, a desecration of the memory of their own mother: And it was incomprehensible, to the men as well as the women. Dangerfield House was in the for Samuel had lived so contin-Amber looked up at it with wide, pretty women or any other form wondering eyes. As Mrs. Samuel of divertisement, that they could Dangerfield she was now mis- not understand why he should tress of all this. But she was feel- now; suddenly reverse all the

But it was Lettice, more than any of the others, who resented back turned. Yet even from the her. She felt that Amber's presence in the house was a shameful thing, for she could not redaughter, Lettice. Lettice, this is gard a wife of barely 20 as any- ly she said: "Oh, I'm thing other than her 60-year-old Samuel I thought you were only dash into the rifle bayonet father's mistress, taken in his de-

friend Amber had made in her present my wife?" new home after a week. Before long, Lettice learned from an Beautifully laid floors, carved oak only visited the theatre one after- to a respectable old noon, but that the new Mrs. Danness. At a glance Amber saw To the puritons of the City the servant, madame." stage was anothema.

But when Lettice, in a fit of The warmth with the steam wife. Amber, looking at the swered him so toftly only he you, Samuel that I won't be Press.

still linked in his, they walked Almsbury children. And

worry frantically. For Samuel, she believed a month or so. "He's. she knew, was anxious to have a child-mostly, she suspected, to justify his marriage to her in his own and his family's eyes. And she wanted one herself. He had already redrawn his will to give her the legal one-third, but she thought that a baby might induce him to give her even more. He had grown, almost comi-

cally sentimental about babies, considering that his first wife had borne him 18 children. And perhostility they all felt towards her. she believed that a baby would protect her as nothing else could. Enveloped in a cloak, her face covered with a vizard, she went to consult half the midwives and she told him. quacks and physicians in London, asking their advice. She had a chestful of oils and balsams and herbs and a routine of smenring and anointing which occupied a great deal of time. Samuel's diet included vast quantities of oys- at the end of the evening, when ters, eggs, caviar, and aweetbreads he begged leave to take his de--but still the maddening fact parture, Amber ran out after persisted, she was not pregnant. him as he was getting into his She finally went, to an astrologer to have her stars read and are you thinking about, you little was encouraged when he told her fool. You've got to use more that she would soon conceive. Jemima's admiration for her step-mother increased. To the "Only Ive got to see you. Bruce." copied Amber's clothes, her dress-

ing of her hair, her cosmetics. We'll be unloading and no one Jemima was intended for young will be surprised if you're there."

Joseph Cuttle, son of another City merchant. But one day she confessed to Amber she loathed him, and begged. Amber to get her father to say she need not marry Cuttle.

Big Shock

"Do you want to know some-thing, Amber?" said Jemima. "I'm in love with someone else." She described her ideal: "Tall. His hair's black and his eyes a jvonderful colour. When he looks at me I get such a queer feeling. He's wonderful, He's everything in the world I admire."

before he sailed for America." will. "Who is this man? What's his name?" asked Amber.

A Threat

with cold water, rude and shocking, and it made her angry because it scared her. But why should it? she thought annoyed by her own uneasy lack of confidence. This girl can't mean anything to him. Why, she's just child, Besides, she's not half as pretty as I am-or is she? Amber's eyes were going swiftly over tory. her stepdaughter's -face-seeing there now a threat to her own happiness. Don't be such a fool! she told herself wrathfully. you want her to guess?

of ensualness: come to be entertaining a lord Press. and visiting his ships?"

"He does some business with father I don't know just what, said Jemima.

speak to her husband, carefully, about Bruce Carlton, She asked if he were coming to London soon. But Samuel did not know.

Home Again

Then one day, crossing courtyard to her coach, she saw another standing there. It was in Almsbury's. She stood a moment stunned. Then whirled and back through Samuel's offices to Commission today heard a withis private business room and ness-say that a Japanese POW flung open the door.

Her husband and Lord Carlton stood before a great framed map bayonet. back he looked different to her With her heart beating violent-

"Come in, my dear, This is Lord Carlton, of whom you've heard me speak. My lord, may I

his eyes showing first surprise on trial with three of his forand then amusement. You he mer underlings, comfort and wealth everywhere. acquaintance that Amber had not seemel to say. You, married chant. But he merely took off gerfield had once been an actress. his hat and bowed gravely, "Your

Amber felt, she was going to

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a call to make. Why don't you could hear, "Yes, Samuel, it's come to supper this evening, Lord true. But if you'll let me talk to Carlton?" He howed again, smilyou I can tell you why I had to ling. "I shall be very glad to come, do it. Please, Samuel." For a Mrs. Dangerfield. Thank you." long minute they stood looking at Half an hour later Amber was each other. Then his head came at Almsbury House. Her son, up proudly and, with her arm Bruce's son, was there with the Emily, Lady Almsbury, she ask-By June, Amber, who was not ed how long Bruce was going yet pregnant, was beginning to stay this time. Emily told her

home in time for dinner. I've got

They talked awhile. And then . . Bruce came through the doorway of the nursery where they were. He was standing abòvo her now, looking down and smiling. "I thought I might find you here," he said.

going to volunteer his ships for

the" war with the Dutch."

A Warning

At the great supper at Dangerfield House that night, with merchants, lawyers, and goldsmiths L as guests. Amber received them as hostess. And among them the only aristocrat, Lord Carlton. "I'm glad you were able to come,"

"I'm extremely happy to be here, Mrs. Dangerfield." No one could have guessed that only three hours ago they had lain together. Now they were coach. He rebuked her, "What sense this time." "I'll be careful," she said.

"Come to the ships tomorrow.

More Next Week

Shades Of Izaak Walton!

Tokyo, Jan. 10. Japanese - scientists have an-To Amber's question as to nounced the discovery of a rewhere this wonder was, Jemima volutionary method of catching A system with individual said: "Not in London. I've only fish without line, hooks, bait or seen him twice. One night here net-you simply call to the fish Sam and Bob to see his ships just and they come of their own free time.

Yoshio Hinokiyama, Professor Jemima, of Agriculture in the Imperial "Lord Carlton . . Oh! what's University, said experiments the matter? Do you know him?" proved that fish have a diseriminating ear and react favourably and unfavourably to different kinds of sounds, wherefore it is It was like a smack in the face possible either to attract fish with agreeable sounds or drive them into, traps with disagreeable

> The research group has already designed a special sound apparatus which is at present under construction in the University labora-

Hinokiyama said, "Fish react peculiarly to sounds. Carp, for instance, gather at the sound of hand clapping. In Chiba preseconds had passed before she fecture, seabeam rise to the surmanaged to answer with a show face when fishermen tap the side of the boat. In Nigata prefecture "Why, I think I met him once it is customary to drive cels from at the theatre. But how d'you their nests with noise."-United

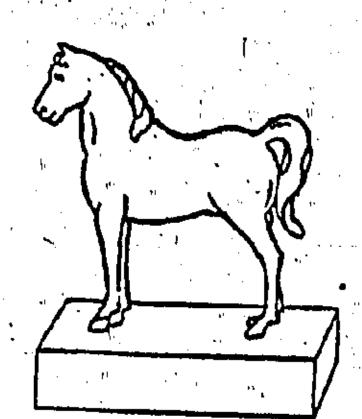
Amber took the first chance to peak to her husband carefully. Dash Into **l** he Bayonet'

Yokohama, Jan. 10. The Eighth Army Military camp commandant advised an American to jump into a rifle

mandant, Masato Yoshida, told Gerald K. Titman, "You can commit suicide easily if you of the sentinel watching you.

The witness, Arthur W Rance of Walthamstow, London, said Titman did not take the Bruce turned and looked at her, advice of Yoshida, who is now

However, the Nebraskan died more than 20 days later after a severe beating by guards. Witness said Titman, frightencd by prospects of a Japanese Army court martial for stealing chicken and rice, attempted suicide by tying a rope powerful, prim, unlovely face of "It isn't true, is it?" Amber an head to toe. "I just came to tell around his own neck.-United

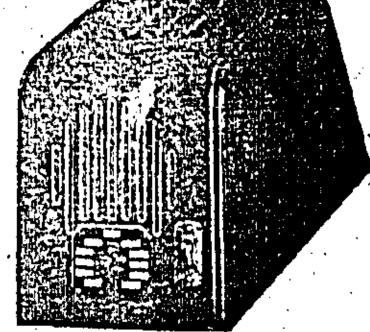


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Presenting the book of to

gomery said; "I require all

my officers down to the rank

this. I think you will find it

interesting and suggest you

pass it on to members of your

Marshal Vassilevsky, accord-

ing to the story here, asked:

"What officers do you require

indeed. Field officers. I con-

sider them the most important

Tonight Monty attended an

official banquet in the Kromlin,

Rare Privilege

of the Kremlin today under a

gentle fall of snow. He moved

eagerly about the churches,

museums and palaces inside the

high walls of the historic

fortress, the view of which had

been made all the more fascina-

ting by the recent restoration

With him were Sir Maurice

Peterson, the British Ambas-

sador, Lady Peterson, and their two sons and other

British diplomats and officers

and their wives, the party

News correspondents did not

Two of the leading Moscow

ed articles praising Mont-

gomery's "gifts of military

leadership" and analysing the

Major Tallensky, in Red Star,

emphasised the destructiveness

of the battle and the strategic

gifts displayed in it by Lord

Associated Press and Reuter.

join in the tour, which is re-

garded as a rare privilege.

numbering about 20.

battle of Alamein.

of buildings and the domes of

the churches.

He made a sight-seeing tour

his third visit to the ancient

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Montgomery replied:

similar presentation to General-

issimo Stalin.

C. I. G. S. Moscow, Jan. 10. Field-Marshal Viscount Montgomery today had a one-hour 12 minute conference with General-

issimo Stalin at the Kremlin. Lord Montgomery emerged smiling broadly. He said "I have had a great talk with the Generalissimo," and added that Stalin appeared in ex-

cellent health. It was Lord Montgomery's | looking toward peacetime cofirst visit to the Generalissimo operation and friendship. since he arrived here five days . He issued a message to the press today thanking Russians

for their hospitality. The Chief of British Imperial General Staff was quoted by Russian officials as saying that he was "highly satisfied" with

his talks with Stalin. He repeated to Stalin his statement that he came Russia as a soldier to establish contact with the Soviet Army.

Jerusalem, Jan- 10.

A huge swarm of locusts dreaded plague of biblical records - suddenly descended on Jerusalem covering streets, walls and roof-tops. Urchins rushed through the

LOCUST PLAGUE

streets killing the pests which came from the south on the heels of a drought which is one of the worst in Palestine's history.—United Press.

Shocking Marshal Vassilevsky, Chief of Epidemic the Soviet General Staff, did not accompany Lord Mont-

gomery during the latter's Washington, Jan. 10. understood that though ill, he The American League for a still hoped to bid the British Free Palestine has submitted Chief of Imperial General Staff memorandum to Pope Pius XII goodbye at the hirdrome to- drawing his attention to "epidemic of suicides that wil Monty has presented to shock the world" among Jewish refugees Marshal Vassilevsky, a copy of 150,000 handbook on military European displaced persons camps, the headquarters of the tactics written as the result of his experiences during the war. League announced tonight.

The memorandum appealed the Pope, according to League announcement, to "alleviate the plight of these people and win for them peace and security-a normal and dignified life which is the right of every human being."

The League has also asked the International Red Cross in had smuggled his name and Geneva to inquire into the cir- those of all SS women guarda cumstances of the death by abroad and he would have to shooting of Palestinian Israel take the consequences if any-Epstein, allegedly while at- thing happened to the inmates. tempting to escape from Italian prison.-Reuter.

"Black Angel's" Message To Pope

Hamburg, Jan. 10. Vera Calveguart, a tall attractive brunette nurse at who was a Ravensbrueck concentration camp, said here today that the Gestapo arrested her four times because she was engaged to marry a Jew. One of the sixteen members_ of the camp staff charged with

gel" Mory, another accused, tried to have information passed to the Pope through a priest, in a confessional box in Berlin.

Fraulein Ruth Jobias, 26, of Hamburg, who said she was imprisoned with Mory in Berlin, said she did not. Another witness said the SS men in the | 8/8 "JOPLIN VICTORY" camp were afraid of Mory. The | 3/8 "GREAT REPUBLIC" latter, she declared, had threat s/s "IRAN VICTORY" tened the commandant of the Darth concentration camp" on the Baltic coast by saying she an The court then adjourned. -

Fascist Groups South

Cape Town, Jan. 11. This week in the hill country not 50 miles from Cape Town I was driving with a high Govern-ment official when I saw a party of 30 men wearing light shirts, ties, black breeches, field boots, and armbands—all the accoutrements of the old Nazi organisations. In their hands, at the trail, were pieces of wood shaped to resemble rifles, (writes a Special Correspon-

wanted to stop, but drove on at the urgent request of my companion, who said: 'This sort of thing is taking place in all parts of the country except Natal. I saw a similar party undergoing military training near Pretoria a

For the past three days I have | Service members of the Springbok been investigating this statement Legion are presenting a petition and I have proved it true beyond to General Smuts demanding that

fortnight ago."

newspapers, Red Star, the Soviet Army newspaper, and Izvestia, the Soviet Government newspaper, today publish
Nationalist State.

and German sympathisers who, positions, but it is "considerable," received from internment, have according to Mr. S. Eppel, the given new life to such organisa- Legion's secretary.

Union Government for its failure me, "is that, athough the exto take drastic measures to stamp internee Civil Servants have proout the whole movement are ex- fessedly resigned from subsersive Montgomery. — United Press, Servicemen. Representatives of 60,000 ex-

Members of subversive or- Dismiss from Government serganisations carrying out this vice all ex-internees of German training are men of wide educa- descent or sympathies who have tion-lawyers, doctors, dentists, been engaged or reengaged

the Prime Minister-

In fact, however, they are be- accurate estimate of the number ing used as catspaws by Germans of ex-internees in Government

One of the worst aspects of The most bitter critics of the the situation," Mr. Eppel said to organisations, we have positive

evidence they are still active as under-cover members. positions in such. Ministries as Post and Telegraphs and

Finance." The deportation commission has released nearly 1,000 internees so far. At least 100 of those were members of the parent Nazi Party in Germany, and a further 100 volunteered to fight in the German forces at the out-

break of war. Among those released to go where they will is Dr. Hans Hirsekorn, the declared "fuchrer" of South-West Africa before the

Sinister "Army" Among the chief subversive organisations are:--

Ossewabrangwag, which openly declares its objective to be the creation in South Africa of a National Socialist Republic. This organisation boasts 50,000 active members, and, it is claimed, there would be more if the Civil Servanta were not banned from joining. Large numbers of Government employees are secret mem-

bers despite the ban. The Greyshirts, a military organisation, the leader of which, Mr. L. T. Welchardt, was released from an internment camp earlier

Broederbond, the most sinister in the land, and, though no legal proof is obtainable, it is known to be the connecting link between all the country.

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Ex-Servicemen Go To Marriage Society London, Jan. 11.

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who made hasty marriages before sericusly, these are the men and going abroad, returning to find women who are sure to achieve, that they had tied themselves to the happiness they deserve." "good-time" girls whose conduct they could not forgive. Often their divorces have Four Irqun niready come through. And they

a happy home life with a wife and children. But this time we want to be absolutely sure we're

making the right choice." The inquiries and requests for advice to the Society's headquarters in Green-street, W., come from all over Britain, from would-be. brides and grooms of twenty-one to sixty years of age.

54,000 Cases: One of the founders of the Marriage Society said:-"There are 54,000 divorce cases scheduled for next year. "These days, it's refreshing to meet people, either young or old, who are really anxious to

or Tuesday.

Palestine police yesterday announced the arrest of "four known members of Irgun Zvai Leumi" in Rinhon Lezion, where 18 other people were arrested

Four houses and two hotels in

Jerusalem, Jan. 11.

authorities "played down" re-Aviv. There was some sort of trouble, but it was apparently only a minor incident, the au-

Men Nabbed

Tel Aviv were also searched. In the meantime, military this year, ports that four Airborne troops and dangerous "army" of all,

had assaulted a group of Jews in | with a limited and secret mem-Sarona in the outskirts of Tel bership. Its followers hold some thorities said. - Associated the subversive organisations in prepare scientifically for mar-

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MONDAY, JAN. 13

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senger Transport, Roard "C" 65.

U.S. To Concentrate On Japan?

Exchange London, Jan. 10. The conjecture here in influential commercial Securities: British Consols, 21/454, 1945/75 98-13/16; 1 Conversion Loan, quarters on President Truman's budget, which was announced today, leads to the 21, 7. 1981 118 k. Funding Loan, 44. 1050/90 121%, War Loan, 316%, 1952 108 %, New War Loan, 314, 109 4, Vic-

theory that the United States may quit China and concentrate on Japan. The conjecture is that President Truman's budget Foreign Bonda; Sao Paulo, 7%, Coffee of \$37,500,000,000 with its insistence on main-Railway Shares: Great Western Concolidated, ord, 58%, London Midland & Scottish Rly, and, 30%, London & North Eastern Rly, def. 5%. Southern Rallway Co., def. 244, London Palsanger Trans-

taining taxes as against the Republicans' commitment to reduce the budget to between \$29,000,000,000 and \$32,000,000,000 by slashing taxes may partly explain the change from Mr. James Byrnes as United States Secretary of State, to General George C. Marshall as the present Secretary of State.

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The implication is that the Republican Congress will refuse ord, 914, J. & P. Cents, ord: 71/9, Courtaulds, and 56/9, Distillers Co., ord. to appropriate enough money to 140%. Dunlop Rubber Co., ord. 74/4 12. maintain the whole of the United Fine Cotton Spinners & Doubler's Asso- States present foreign policy and cintion 26/6. Ford Motors Co., ord. that this may force the United 18/1 16. Imperial Chemical Industries. States administration to Jeave ard, 46/-, Imperial Tobacco Co., (of S.D. China and concetrate on Japan, & Ireland) 7-15/16, Indian Iron & Steel

Some colcur is lent to this con-Co., ord, 68/114, International Nickel Co. of Canada, ord, \$51%, Lever Bro- jecture by two other unexpected thers & Unilever, ord. 54/-, Narks & trends in the budget, Only \$250,- 4.02, 6.04, Zurich 17.34, 17.36, Stackholm Spencer, ord. 20/414. Pinchin & Johns 000,000 is put down for posts. 14.37. 14.50, Buenos Aires unquoted. ord: 41/14. Vickers Ltd, ord. \$2/6. United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration relief Ten Sharen: Adam Ten Co. 28/-, as against the recent estimates, 480.30, Syrla 881, 885, Lisbon 29.80, which themselves appeared small,

17.50, Netherlands West Indies 7.58. Jute Sharen: Barnagere Jute Factory |of \$300,000,000 to \$400,000,000. On the other hand, occupation Holland 10.63, Panama 4.02, 4.04, Det.-Rubber Shares: Anglo-Dutch Planta- costs of the United States are mark 19.32, 19.36, Prague 201, 202, actually billed to rise from \$550,-Norway 19.98, .20.02, Palestine 997, 100 %, Philippines 8,00, 8,14. 000,000 to \$645,000,000.

Mines Shares: Burma Corporation In both cases, the explanation 8/0, Crown Mines 5-5/16, East Rand may be Europe rather than the Switzerland 114 p 114D, Sweden Mines 13/1 %. Rand Mines 6 %. Rio Far East but at this stage the Tinto Company, and 17 nom. Spring rise in occupation costs is remark-Mines 11/4%. Sub Nigels 4%. Union able.

Downward Trend

Oil Co., ord, 74/414, Mexican Eagle Oil Japan is definitely moving to-Teheran 128, 130; Alexandria 27,375, Co. 15/6, Trinidad Lesscholds, Ltd. wards becoming self-supporting 97.625, Singapore 2/4-1/16, 2/4-16, Rongand thus ceasing to be a burden kong 14-15/16, 1/3-1/16, Philippines 8.10, 8.15, Rangoon 13/5-15/16, 1/6-1/16, on her occupiers. Germany, un-Shipping: P. & O. Steam Navigation | der the | bi-zonal agreement, is supposed to move in the same "Giltedges: Conversion loss, " 372, Supposed to move in the San 1948/53 19334, Fuding Loss, 372 19354, direction though more slowly. 101.360, Turkey 1128.40, 1139.68, Usuguay

National War Bonds. 2464. 1946/81 The United States decision, an-103-1/16, National War Bonds, 21/4. nounced today, to start collecting 1952/54 105, National War Bonds, 2127. reparations from Japan im-1954/56 194-15/16, Savings Bonds, 3%, reparations. from Japan im-1966/75 11014. Exchequer Bonds, 1414. ilaterally, should tend to reduce 1950 101%, Relemption Stock, 3% occupation costs.

A switch from China to Japan Foreign Bonds: German Luan (Dawes). would of course mean a shift of 774 1314, Japanese 511, 1907/47 3315, expenditure from relief costs to Jupanese 674. 1924/59 3314. Japanese South Manuchurlan Rly, 377, 1923 33. Occupation costs, since Japan is Trade Bills, 3 Months 1 to 114. Fine Swiss Bank Notes rate 28.00, 20.00, Bel-Ranks: Chartered Bank of I. A. & C. a United States occupied country Trade Bills, 6 Months 14 to 214, glum Franc 2.28 offered, Pound Notes 131%, Eastern Bank 9-3/16, Hong Kong and China is not. *Lloyds Bank "A" 75/-. Mercantile Bank

But the fact that such an exof Indla "A" 2214. National Bank of penditure shift is budgeted is not of course positive proof that this is its cause.—Reuter.

BOMBAY BULLION Bombay, Jan. 10.

was transacted privately. In an oversold market, allver was quoted at 111 for January and 129 for March actilements. hut later sharply advanced to 156 for ready, 161-12 for January and 131-01 for Morch.-Reuter.

ZURICH FOREIGN **EXCHANGES**

Zurish on London 17. ... New York 4.30, Paris 3.62%, Brussels Amsterdam 102.30, Lisbon 13.75. Buenos Aires 104,00, Steckholm 110,62, Madrid 39.75.—Reuter.

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London, Jan. 10. Silver, Spot, per fine oz. 55 %d. For-ward per fine oz. 55 %d; Bar Gold, Fine. st. 172/3. London free market Bliver. per ounce Next shipment to Bombay 60 14 Jan. Delivery London 59 pence.-

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5.80, sellers 5.33.—Reuter. INDEX London, Jan. 10. Individuals 16217, Raffirs 105.6, Home

Rails 19.8, Commodity \$15.2.—Reuter.

Canton (By Sea) 4 p.m. WEDNESDAY, JAN. 10 Airmall for Manils P.I. (By Air) [Rog.) 9.30 m.m., (Ord.) 10 m.m. Alimail for Shanghal (direct) (By Air) (Reg.) 9,20 A.m., (Ord.) 10 a.m. Swatow (Bly Sea) 10 a.m. Shanghal (By Sea) 10 n.m. Poochuw (By Sea) 10 a.m. Strafts, Maurittus and Bouth Africa vin Durban (By Bea), Noon.

Airmail for Canton and Chungking (B) Alr) (Reg.) 2 p.m., (Ord.), 2,30 p.m.; Airmail for Shanghal (direct) (By All) (Reg.) 1 p.m., (Opt.) 5.50 p.m. Airmail for Salgon, Singapore, Colombe, Sydney, Auckland and London (By Air) (Reg.) 8 p.m., (Ord.) 3.30 p.m. 'Macao, Tainshan and Shekk! (By Bra)

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N.Y. Stock Market

New York, Jan. 10. One of the sharpest and shortest retreats the past month in the stock market depressed leaders 1-to 3 points. The drop came before publication of President Truman's budget " message. which in brokers opinion brought scant response from securities. .The liquidation was brief, however, and the extreme aethants were reduced in

most cases at the close. Transfers were ground 1,000,000 shares. S.S. Casualtine Included Graham Palge. Schenley, Twentieth Contury Fox-which hit new 1946-1947 lows-TWO, Santa Fa. Dow Chemicals and Paramount Pictures. 20 Industrials 177.43, 15 Rails 49.58, 10 Dullium 20.60. Adams Express 151/2, Alaska Junton 14. American Can Bills. American

Smelting 59, American Telephone 1714, 3.S. American Tobacco 81 %, American Waterworks 1614. Anneonda Copper 39%. Aviation Corporation 634, Raldwin Locomotive 2014, Barnedall 2214 Bendig Aviation 3614, Bethlehem Steel 9214 Boeing Aircraft 19%, Borden Co. 4834, Canadian Pacific 12%, .. J. L. Case 3514. Chrysler 90, Colgate 52%, Commercial Solvents 72 %, Dupont 188, Eastman Deciale 226, Electric Light & Power 16, General Electric 36 %. General Motors York Central 17 %. Packard Motors 6%. Pan-American Aleways 1214. Pennsyl-On New York 4.025, 4.035, Mantrell vanta RR 25 %. Republic Steel 27 %. Radio Corporation 914, "Schenley 4514, Reynolds Tobacco 42%, Sears Rochuck Brazil 75,4416, Brazil (sellers) unquoted, 37 1/4. Shell Gil 29 %. Socomy Vaculum 15, Southern Pacific 42%, Standard Brands 176.75, Paris & French Empire 479,50, 36 %, Standard Oil of Calif. 56%, Standard Oil of N.J. 6814, Studebaker 2614. 100.20. Swiss Bank Notes Middle 17.25, Union Ber 28, Union Carbide 9414. Netherlands Eint Indies 10.68, 10.70, tinghouse 24%, Youngstown Sheet &

States % p. % D, Canada % p. % D,

Tube 66%, Greyhound 26%,-Associated

Free market rates; India 17.94, 18.06. Australia #25, 125.50, New Zenland New York, Jan. 10. 124.37, 125, South Africa 100, 100,50, American A/D Sterling 4.05, 4.03%. American A/C Starling 3 Months 4.03%, 4.03%, On Sweden 27.81%, 27.83%, France 84, 86%, Switzerland (Official) 24.00, 24.25, Switzerland (Free) 27.85 offered, Spain 9.25 offered, Portugal 4.04b, 4.06a, Australia 3.23, New Zea-Lapaz 168,62, 170,32, Valparaiso 100,625, land 5.24, South Africa 4.03%, British East Africa 20.30, India, 30.29, Shanghai 33.50, Argentine (Official) 29,77, Argen Central American A/C rates: Mexico tine (Free) 24.44 offered, Brazil 5.89 offered, Bolivia (Official) 2.25 nom Rolivia (Free) 2,58, Chile (Official) 5.16, Chile (Free) 3.00, 4.00, Chile (Export) 4.00, Columbia 57.14n, Cuba 100, Ecuador 7.60n, Gustemala 100, Holland 37.80, Mexico 20.60 nom. Peru 15,50 offered, Uruguay 56.25 nom. Venezuela Day to Day Loan 1/2. Short Money 20,00, Netherland West Indies 53.05, 5, to I, Bank Bills, 3 Months 17/82. Dutch Guiana 53.86, Montreal On London Bank Bills, 6 Menths 5/10 to %, Fine 4.02, Montreal on New York 94.876. Trensury Bills, 2 Months 1/2 to 17/32, 295, 305,-Reufer,

N.Y. COTTON

New York, Jan. 10.

ALEXANDRIA . Alexandria, Jan. 16,

London, Janu 10,

Cution future dropped sharply in heavy selling after the publication Cold, per "dirrhem" 164 piantres. President Truman's budget message. Egyptian pound 480, Savereign 516, Tur-Futures closed 4.75 to 6.35 a bale lower kish pound 297, Napoleon 390, Dollar Although the market was officially (piece de cinq) 490, Silver (piastres) per 20.25-40, Oct. 26.48-54, Dec. 26.00, March numinal,-Associated Press.

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better of the two and will be

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Hoi Polloi owned by Mortimer

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the appearance of a speedster

and in my estimation is not

A Coming Pony

Mr. Henry has a good look

to lack the strength for this

gruelling race. It is definitely

The ponies I have mentioned

year's subs., and I think the

Hong Kong Derby winner will

Beauty and Kim having the best

Fifth Alarm (Russian

gallop yesterday morning and

on nearing the 1% mile post.

(rainer) and Kim

Black) went out for?

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among them, with Dais

Norse Queen, Bashfu

less important events.

to cause an upset. "

Derby?

Daisy Bell Is Favoured

(By "Rapier")

The stage is all set for the first Annual Racing Carnival since the reoccupation of the Colony under the auspices of the Hong Kong Jockey Club, which starts at 2.00 p.m. tomorrow with the first saddling bell ringing at 1.30 p.m.

There have been 88 Australian ponies in training for this Carnival and having watched them in their exercises for some time. I now give my readers some indication of the more prominent ones for this Annual Meeting.

The most important Race, of | Mr. Lam C. Cheong has encourse, is the Hong Kong Derby ! tered two ponies in Jeep Hing which has attracted 36 entries and Jeep Lee in this event but out of the consignment of 88 the first named pony is the converted.

ponies. Who will win? I don't think I am far wrong taken out by Major Hodgman in stating that Daisy Bell, be- 11 hardly believe it to be good longing to the Zylch Stable, is, i enough to beat the above at the moment, the favourite. This pony has done well training and after watching lits recent gallop over the mile ridden by the Russian trainer. with her stable companion Elmer (Mr. S. L. Yuen up) when it clocked 2-07 with a last quarter of 28 apparently without effort, I am confident that it will be hard to beat. Daisy

Bell will be taken out by Mr. S. L. Yuen. Norse Queen, belonging t Mr." R. Johannessen, has been freely mentioned as a serious contender in the main event It made the mile in 2-01 with a lit moves, it appears to have last quarter, of 28.4/5 on talent which has not yet been January 4, which is a very properly developed. creditable performance and as i it will be taken out by Mr. | ing pony in Lucky Strike but it Ostromouff its chance of win-pears to me at the moment

ning is very bright.

Treat To Watch by good, however, and should ac-Bashful Beauty, ewned comes next in count for some, of the races popular estimation to the two over distances from a mile and pories above and has come in under. for a good deal of attention, for its striding during morning gallops is a treat to watch and its chances of coming through in the straight are there as hean that Commander Francis will probably take, her out in-

the Derby. Mr. N.O.C. Marsh will be represented by Kim, a bay gelding which has invariably done well over the mile distance but whether it is good enough for the mile and a half is doubtfut-But as Mr. D. Black will-be-over top, one cannot tell what this combination will do and for those looking for outsiders, this pony should be kept in mind.

Dark Gallops Peacock belonging to Esquire is another pony to be borne in the stable. mind for it has done some dark gallops and it may turn out to be the "Dark Horse" in this race. In any event take note of it for other events, even if

RADIO

it fails here.

ZBW Hong Kong broadcasting on's frequency of 845 kilocycles and from 12.30 to 1.15 p.m., 6.30 to 7,30 p.m., and 9 to 11 p.m. also on 0.52 megacycles. 12.30 p.m.-Dally Programme Summary.

12.82 p.m .- Variety. 1.00 p.m .- News, Wouther Report Anniuncements. 7,10 p.m. Orehentral Interlude. 1.15 p.m.-Piano Playtime-Pat Dodds.

1.50 p.m.-Half An Hour With Tchuikowsky. 2.00 p.m.-Close Down.

6.50 p.m. Artis Shaw and His Orch. 6.45 p.m. -- Studiot - Local News "Round-Up" by "The Jabberwock." 6.65 p.m. - interiode.

7.00 p.m.-London Relay: News. 7.10 p.m.-London, Relay: Home News from Britain. 7.15 p.m .- London Relay: "ITMA." 7.45 p.m .- Plano Paradet Alfred Cortes. 8.00 p.m .- Youn Hammond (Soprano)

Welister Booth (Tenor) and the London Symphony Orchestra. 8.50 p.m. Lordon Transcription Services "Count of Monte Cristo." Episode 6 "Morrel and Son."

0.16 p.m.—Z.B.W. "Proms"—No Mozart . . . "The Magic Fluto" -- . Overture. Bach ... Brandenburr Concerto No. 1. Brilima Plang Concerto No. 1 In D Minur. Berthnen Symphony No. 5 [All Specially Requested). 10.45 p.m - Studio: ABunday Evening

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Epilogue. Conducted by the Rev. M. Felly, S.J.

11.00 p.m .- Close Down.

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Rugger

In the first. Rugby game yesterday, Club beat Commandos in a technically friendly game by 2 goals (10 pts.) to one try and one penalty goal (six

Play started scrappily and exchanges were even for the first ten minutes, when Com-

mandos should have scored. A good run by Kite, who took a difficult pass well, brought play to the Commando's line for some minutes, but Commandos retrieved and Williams scored, rafter a good break through by Franklin, who was well tackled by Ingham. This try was not

Commando youth and open period kept the powerful Chinair training were beginning to ese combination at bay. tell, though the Club seniors (who pushed together well) their initial period Sing Tao time.

might account for some of the ball. Buchan, who was prominent: in the first half, led a good to the Commando line, where play stayed for some tion at the moment but it has Commando's outsides were not taking advantage of the scrimmage superiority good enough over this distance their forwards. Kite broke through and, gathering the ball well, raced between the posts

for Ingham to convert. The first half ended " with a Mr. S. W. Tang's Richard I long but unsuccessful bombardhas not had a decent gallop so ment of the touch line by the far, but judging from the way opposing full backs and their

> The second half opened with Commandos taking the game into the Club half and after a few minutes. Buscall kicked a

long penalty goal: was converted by lngham.

thrustful game than before. are undoubtedly the best of this

Club pressed heavily, the three-quarters taking full advantage of gaps in the Commandos defence.

other, end and after a movement, were only prevented now until the end, play was from scoring by the good tackling of Ingham, who played a well balanced game, show-1,

ing surprising stamina. Club: Ingham, Kite, Bennett, Wright-Nooth, McNay, Drage, Colchester, Speyer, Cross, Mann, Benn, Brown, Richardson,

with the result both riders fell Buchan off their mounts, luckily withliams, Smith, Franklin, out any ill effects to the riders. Weatherall King. Mills, Scott, Fifth Alarm came back lame Curtis, Clark, McBurney, Buscall, whereas Tribute ran back to Absalom, Ticchurst, Thompson.

the final of the International

Tournament between Scotland

Scotland by three tries (9 pts.

Play, as was only to be expect-

Scotland pressed from the start

corner flag, after a good move-

Scotland continued to hold the

advantage/throughout the" first

half, but their outsides were un-

tinued to be scrappy with Scot-

land more often than not, in the

Both full backs played well,

HARRIER RACE

The Hong Kong International

with some good fielding and kick-

ment had been stafted by Dor-

and Ireland-Wales, was won

with too much kicking.

and opened the score

ward. The kick falled.

Welsh defence.

winners.

Stewart, who went over by

SCOTLAND V. Fastball IRELAND-WALES

Top) |

(By "Neutral")

Highlight in today's Fastbal League matches will be the game between the leaders, Club de Recreio and Giants. geme will start at 4 p.m. at King's Park.

. In the opening game at 10.30 a.m. Dock Molthen's Hong Kong Baseballers will cross hats with the Canadian Chinese. Doc's boys have been improving each week and although beaten on every occasion I have strong feeling that they will come out on top. Immediately after this game Rovers meet Hotshots in a game in which

the odds are on Rovers. The opener in the afternoon their opponents, pushed the ball is ing Chung Wah. . I can't see a second unconverted try. how the Saints can lose this! Play in the second half con-

At 4 p.m. Giants meet Irish-Welsh half. Recreio in what should be the best game of the day. teams have lost a match and ing. Taylor and England both will go all out to clinch through some good work for the

this vital match. From what I gather, Recreio! England, who played a clever will be without the services of game in the loose, ended the scor-Bertie Gosano, their ali-rounder, corner flag. The kick again failed. as he will be playing in the Interport Football trial, But in spite of his absence Lino Gosano will be able to field a tough team. The Giants are a can produce their best form I until Jan. 22. Chinese New for entries has been extended to well and scored two quick goals time, neither side was table to am afraid Recreto will go down! Year and the land can be sent to the through Jones and Recret Just time, neither side was table to am afraid Recreio will go down. Year.

45 Commando Reach Semi-Final

As a result of a well-deserved win over St. Joseph's, 45 Commando are the only non-Chinese team to reach the semi-final of the Senior Shield Competition. Sing Tao, South China and Kwong Wah were not fully extended and won comfortably.

the only Junior Shield game played yesterday. Dockyard Recreation Club fully extended South China and were only beaten by the odd goal in the closing minutes of the second half.

·YESTERDAY'S

3 45 Commando

1 Kwong Wah

4 44 R.Mil Cdo.

4 Eastern

appointed. Eastern should have

the first half, but failed miser-

ahly in front of goal time after

five minutes from the interval

Leung Ting-hong saved

from a pass by Tac Kam-ho.

further but was again caught by

Chau, who easily sent it into the

Ten minutes after the whistle

| Tak-fal, who added another goal

Within the next three minutes.

1 The play went on in Eastern's

through a long shot outside, the

KWONG WAH v.

NAVY

Senior Shield at the expense of

Evans, in goal, was unreliable

Jones and Wills gave him ade-

by Lau Chung-kwan at right

half, while Li Kwok-ki, after a

shaky start, was applauded dur-

ing the last ten minutes of the

the best while Kwok Ying-ki,

the Navy the lead with a direct

chuen equalised. The Navy

netted again immediately but

the referee ruled a foul, much

In the second period Lau

Ten minutes later Lau Fook-

in spite of scoring two goals.

save a few certainties.

corner kick.

Navy by five goals to three.

With the inclusion of Kwok

only, goal for Eastern.

shooting line.

The ball did not

SING TAO V. 44 CDO.

After scoring four goals in FOOTBALL RESULTS the first half, Sing Tao qualified for the semi-final of the Senior Shield competition at i the Navy ground when they beat 44 RM Commando by four

goals to one. a . From the very beginning it was obvious that Sing Tao would come out on top but the question 'was-by how" many goals? The Commandos came fighting, however, and besides scoring a goal in the second

After netting their goals in continued to get most of the slackened off. Six of their players will be appearing in

the interport trial to-day. To come back to the game Commandos gave a good count of themselves and tried exceedingly hard to keep the Sing Tao forwards from netting many goals. Certainly, they had Chang Kam-hei, Sing Tao leader of the attack, bottled up by their first-time tackling which swept-Chang off

his feet. But that was as far as they could go for Lai Shui-wing was playing a rattling good game on the resumption, Chu and scored a "hat trick," three keung passed the ball to Chan rattling goals that gave the for the winners. goalie no chance.

Sing Tao took up the attack and within the first five Chan Tak-fai netted the third minutes. Ho Ying-fan went goal for South China from a pass through to 'net the first goal. by Lee Shek-yau. Club replied with a try after | Play was rather dull but Lai, very fine run by Page. This Shui-wing livened up matters half throughout until the 30th with some pretty touches that minute, when Li Ping-chiu man-The game swung backwards delighted the crowd. Not long aged to bring the ball into and forwards with the three's after, he went through to beat South China's defence line. Wong of both sides playing a more the gcalie with a grounder. Wah-kee dashed out to intercept Before the interval Lai com- it but missed the ball, which enpleted his hat trick with two abled Li to score an open, and the Aberdeen

beautiful goals. In the second half Sing Tao took things easy and after 20 Commandos returned to the minutes play, Murrel beat the goalie with a grand shot. From rather robust and the referee had to blow his whistle frequently. The game ended very

tamely with Sing Tao coming out deserved winners. Thornton in goal for the Ying-ki and Lam Tak-po of Dunden U. Commandos did well but had no chance with the goals that beat him. Green was a tower of

Commandos: Dunkerley, Wil- strength at back while Wells in the pivotal position had Chang Kam-hoi well checked. Reddish and Murrel well forward but found Sing ing a good display except, to Belfast C.

Tao defenders too good. Yu lu-tak again demonstrated po was inclined to go for the that he is a first class goal- man instead of the ball, keeper by dishing out a grand display. He saved two certain The second game, which was goals. Hau Yung-sang as usual and should have saved at least at right back, was the star three of the five goals. Birch player on view while both Lau was a bit slow and this also Chung-sang and Fung Kwai- applies to Coles. Haggle was sing, the wing halves, were the best of the forwards while brilliant. Of the forwards, Lui ed with two sides who had never Shui-wing was the best while played together, was scrappy Tso Chau-ting, his partner, was very fast. Ho Ying-fan was good while Tam Kong-sang was fast on the right wing.

Team:--Sing Tao: Yu Iu-tak, Hau Yung-sang, and Lau Tin-sang: Lau Chung-sang, 'Hsu Kingsing; Tam Kong-sang, Ho Yingfan, Chang Kam-hoi, Lai Shuiable to get through the Irishwing and Tso Chau-ting. 44 RM Commando; Thernton, Eventually, Scotland's forwards, who were heavier than Tompson and Green; Longbot- was not much in the picture. tom. Wells and Wheatland; will see the St. Joseph's meet- over the line for England to score Welfewdale, Forrest, Reddish, Murrel and Heath.

SOUTH CHINA ... **EASTERN**

South China seniors defeated the Second Round of the Shield to their disappointment It was best the Dockyard XI in the Clague Compettion at Caroline Hill yes- a doubtful decision. The Chin- Second Round of the Shield Com- D. McLellan, not dut 13 ing by going over by the left pafter the interval. South China did not live up_10 Chinese 2-1 in the lead. their usual standard of play and spectators were greatly dis-

Otherwise, the odds are in Chinese Y.M.C.A. secretary Chinese Y.M.C.A. Physical before the game ended, Lau in the second extra period, Tam L.D. Kilbee did not but. favour of Lino Gosano's boys. Shek Chen-tak, who is organis- Dept. Bridges St. Hong Kong. Fook-chuen netted the last goal. Chip-kui netted the winning goal. (Continued at foot of next col.) Murshall

Home Football Results

London, Jan. 11. The following were the results of football matches played today:-

F.A. Cup 3rd Round

1 Hull C. Blackburn 5 Stockport Bolton Bournemouth 0 Derby 0 M'chester U. 3 3 Rochdale Charlton 1 Arsenal Chelsea 2 Plymouth A. Chester 2 Sunderland Chesterfield 5 Newport Coventry 2 Portsmouth Doncaster R. 4 Southend Everton 1 Birmingham Fulham 3 Barnsley

Huddersfield 0 Notts F. 6 Notts C. scored more goals, particularly in Northampton Q. P. Ran The play was even throughout Reading the first period, although Eastern Sheffield U. were better off in the first stage. Wednesday It even gave one the impres- Southampton sion that Eastern might force a Swansea Chau Man-chi drew first blood

2 Grimsby 3 Carlisle 4 Blackpool Bury Gillingham 2 Stoke C. 2 Liverpool Leeds U. West Brom 1 Leicester C.

Gateshead

Millwall

Preston

Middlesboro

Motherwell

6 Palace

Division South

Bristol R. 2 Torquay Inswich Bristol C. Excter

Third Division North

2 Bradord Cith 0 Oldman Hartlepool 2 Brighton 1 Barrow Tranmere

0 Accrington SCOTTISH LEAGUE "A" Division

2 St. Mirren (Match abandoned) 0 Third Lanark 3 Two or three minutes from the Hamilton 0 Hibernian end. Chau Man-chi registered the Hearts

'2 Motherwell final goal for South China Morton v Kimarnock (cancelled) Queen's Park I Celtic 2 Falkirk Q. of South 4 Partick "B" Division

Ayr United Albion R. Dumbarton Alloa A. South China Kwong Wah ad- Dunfermline Raith R. vanced into the semi-final of the East Fife Cowdenboath 0 0 Dundee Sten'muir St. Johnstone 1 Airdrie

The game was fast and in- Irish Regional League teresting with both teams giv- Ballymen U. 1 Derry City wards the end when Lam Tak- Coveraine 4 Cliftonville | Glentoran

> Other Matches 1 Wrexham Carnayon

ST. JOSEPH'S v. 45 CDO.

At Sookunpoo yesterday, 45 D. Clague, by Perry Commando beat St. Joseph's by C. Bell, b. Hart Baker Kwong Wah was well served five goals to three in the Second K. Atwell, run out 32 Round of the Senior Shield after J. F. Marshall, b. Owen Huges 0 having most of the play through- Lt. Comdr. Briggs, c. Owen out the game.

St. Joseph's did not play their usual game and from the start it game. He was rather lucky to was obvious that 45 Commando were the better team. St. Joseph's Of the forwards, Cheuk Shek- gave a very sporting display and Hegarty, b. Hart Baker 0 kam and Lau Foon-chuen were, after being three goals to one down at the interval drew level 10 minutes before full time.

Goal scorers for Commando were Didcott (2) Reynolds, Gold-· Right from the beginning, thrope and Broadhead, for St. Owen Hughes 11 both sides attacked in turn and Joseph's, Carvalho scored all the Perry 10 after seven minutes Wills gave goals, including a penalty.

SOUTH CHINA v.

terday, after leading one goal ese took the lead through Kwok petition at Caroline Hill yester- D.S. Robb, c. Kerr, b. Lester Ying-ki. Half-time found the day by the odd goal in five. After a goalless first half. Forsyth, c. Clague, b. Kerr . 11 South China netted the first two M. F. A. Haymes, b. Lester .. 0 goals through Chan King-cheung H. Owen Hughes, c. Bell, b. Weller 10 0 38 Fook-chuen increased the lead and 80 Gok-ying respectively. with a header and this was fol- Isherwood, reduced South lowed by a goal from Kwok China's lead and Stevens equalisfor Jan. 1, has been postponed nounces that the closing date Ying-ki. The Navy fought ed the score for Dockyard.

COMBINED SCORE 374

Hobart, Tasmania, Jan. 11. On the second day of the three-day match here, the combined team of Tasmania and four Australian Test players gained a decided advantage over the M.C.C. tourists as, in reply to the total of 278 compiled yesterday, the combined side replied with 374 today and have taken one second innings wicket of the

M.C.C. for 52 runs. This happy state of affairs for the Combined Side was due in a large measure to the tail-enders for when they had lost six wickets for 150, including Australia's Test stars Barnes, Hassett and Johnson the advantage was certainly with the M.C.C.

Kewloon Cricket Club beat the o Indian Recreation Club by 64 runs Olin a friendly cricket match play-2 cd at Cox's Path yesterday. The 2 I.R.C. were one player short. C.I. Stapleton contributed 55 to 2 the K.C.C. innings and F.I. Zimo imern 27. R. E. Lee took five I.R.C. 1 wickets for 34 runs.

K.C.C.

5 C. I. Stapleton, b. Rumjahn ... F.A. Broadbridge, c. & b. Nazarin 0 F. I. Zimmern, b. Hassan F. R. Zimmern, b. Rumjahn R. E. Lee, c. Abbas, b. Nazarin 14 IS, A. Gray, b. Rumjahn

Total (for 6 wkts. deel.) .. 108

2 J. Fenton, not out

K. Lo, E.C. Fincher, F.E. Lawrence and C. Tiernan did not bat. **BOWLING ANALYSIS** A. R. Abbas, 10-1-28-0; A. K.

ndt. out. 1 Nazarin 10-2-37-2; K. M. Rum-0 jahn 8.5-0-30-3; M. B. Hassan 1 2-0-8-1.

I.R.C.

A.R. Abbas, b. Lec K. Nazarin, run out K. M. Rumjahn, Ibw., b. Lee A.R. Sufflad, b. Lee .- Vallage S. H. Khan, b. F. R. Zimmern S. A. Ismail, not out M. I. Razack, c. & b. F.R. Zimmern

M. B. Hassan, b. F. R. Zimmern

A. R. Minu, c. Fincher, b. Lee S. K. Khan, b. Lee Extras,

BOWLING ANALYSIS F. R. Zimmehn 12-2-21-3; R. E. 0 Lee 11.2-2-34-5.

Beat Married The Single

The Married XI beat the Single XI by 10 wickets in an inter-Club cricket match at the Hong Kong Cricket "Club yesterday.

Singles

O. J. Kerr, b. Owen Hughes .. 10 H. J. Muriel, c. Wood, b. Perry F. A. Weller, b. Perry Hughes, b. Hart Baker 2

M. Harriman, I.b.w., b. Hart Dereck Lester, not out 0

BOWLING ANALYSIS

Hart Baker 5.5 2 15.1

Extra time was required to J.E. Richardson, retired 39 simple truth is that some operaenable South China- Juniors to H.D. Bidwell, c. Briggs, b. R.M. Wood, b. Lester 0

A.E. Perry, N. Hart Baker and Kerr

But Miller, the fourth player. from the mainland, was still batting strongly and with Laver as a partner, he was engaged in a 52-run partnership for the

seventh wicket. Compton placed three men on the boundary in an effort to check Miller's terrific hitting. The pair scored the 52 runs in half an hour before Laver was caught behind the wicket with a personal score of 30. Then there was even more prodigious hitting. when Gardiner joined Miller and, later, when Gardiner and Clark

were together. Miller and Gardiner took the total from 202 to 250 in 18 minand their eighth-wicket utes stand of 67 took only 216 minutes. All bowlers were treated alike and throughout the innings only Compton bowled a maiden. When the pair seemed likely to pass the M.C.C. total, Miller was taken behind the wicket when the score was nine short of the Maryleboners. But Clark helped Gardiner to exceed their opponents' score and pass well into the

fourth hundred. In fact, they put on 91 before Clark was brilliantly caught low down ber Ikin. Interest now was whether Gardiner would reach his? hundred as he was joined for the last . wicket by Murfitt. But it was not to be, for Evans made a fourth eatch behind the wicket to dismiss Murfitt with Gardiner 94

This 33-year-old player, who was n regular wicket-keeper in , the island before the war, hit 11 fours and a six during his stay of only 90 minutes. In approximately an hour's play the M.C.C. scored fifty-two for the loss of Gibb's wicket, so they are still 44, runs behind with nine, wickets

M.C.C.

Scores:-

COMBINED

First Innings

Morrisby, b Pollacd R. Thomas, c Fdrich, b Bedser 16 Barnes, c Pollard, b Wright 57 Hassett, c Evans, b Pollard 35 Miller, c Evans, b Bedser .. 70 Johnson, c Edrich, b Compton M. Homas, run out Laver, c Evans, b Compton. 30 Gardiner, not out 94 Clark, c Ikin, b Edrich 27.

Murfitt, c Evana, b Edrich ...

Extras Bowling: Pollard two for 124, Bedser two for 142. Edrich two for 40, Wright one for 48, Compton two for 53.

M.C.C.

Second Innings Gibb e Gardirer, h Murfitt .. :11. Fishlock, not out 284 Hardstaff, not out

d (Continued from Page 1) troop reinforcements including O. M. H. W. the First Marine Regiment for ? in northern Indo-China.

The High Commissioner, Admiral Thierry D'Argenlieu, said on their arrival that "it is inexact to say that a state of war reigns in Indo-China. The tions for re-establishment of order are now in progress at certain points."-Reuter.

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